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FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31,
1963

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

**SELECTMEN, TREASURER, HIGHWAY AGENTS,
TOWN CLERK, PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES,
TAX COLLECTOR**

AND

BOARD OF EDUCATION

of

Town of Newton

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to General Court

GEORGE L. CHENEY

Moderator

CLIFFORD BRYER

Supervisors of Check List

OTIS R. ROWELL

CHARLES H. HOYT

WILLIAM J. MOISAN, SR.

OFFICERS ELECTED ANNUALLY

Town Clerk

Pearl R. Willis

Selectmen

Robert E. Fryer

Term Expires 1964

William A. Baker

Term Expires 1965

Wallace B. Nyberg

Term Expires 1966

Treasurer

Kenneth F. Briggs

Tax Collector

Augusta Kimball

Auditors

Everett O. Kelly

Robert M. Rowe

Road Commissioner

Raymond E. Estabrook

Cemetery Trustees

Everett O. Kelly	Term Expires 1964
Horace R. Williams	Term Expires 1965
Harry B. Merrifield	Term Expires 1966

Trustees of Gale Library

Hazel M. Owen	Term Expires 1964
Ellen L. Pelletier	Term Expires 1965
Ella M. Yates	Term Expires 1966

Trustees of Trust Funds

Otis R. Rowell	Term Expires 1964
Marjorie Briggs (Appointed)	Term Expires 1965
Fred Cust	Term Expires 1966

Constable

Richard S. Hanson

Board of Health

L. Scott MacDonald

Chief of Police

Richard S. Hanson

Deputy Chief of Police

Lucien Cloutier

Dog Officer

Paul R. Morse

Fire Department Chief Engineer

Raymond E. Estabrook

Deputy Fire Chiefs

Russell D. Estabrook

Horace R. Williams

Fire Wards

Robert E. Fryer

William A. Baker

Wallace B. Nyberg

Fence Viewer

Ellery Atwood

Surveyor of Wood and Lumber

James A. Marden

Tree Warden

Raymond E. Estabrook

Welfare Agent

Everett E. Coombs

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Gordon A. Cheney — 1964

Henry C. Finkler — 1964

Perry A. Xenakis, Co-Ch'm'n.* — 1964

Ralph M. Bean — 1965

Everett E. Coombs, Ch'm'n.* — 1965

Wallace B. Nyberg — 1965

Forrest T. Reynolds, Jr. — 1965

William D. Cross — 1966

Fred Cust — 1966

David W. Richard — 1966

**Appointees for Board of Adjustments as Provided for
in Building Code Ordinances**

Stanley LeBlanc, Chairman*

Term Expires 1965

Christopher Sherrill, Chairman

Term Expires 1965

Fred Cust

Term Expires 1965

Glenroy Colby

Term Expires 1964

Gardner Kimball

Term Expires 1964

Elmer Bearce

Term Expires 1963

*Resigned

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L.S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newton in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Newton on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To hear reports of Town Officers and pass any vote relating thereto.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deed or through Old Age Assistance; or any other property of the Town not used for public purposes.

6. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the voters of the Town of Newton will approve a plan to have all property in the Town of Newton reassessed by the New Hampshire State Tax Commission.

7. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the voters of the Town of Newton will raise

and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) to pay for the reassessment of property in the Town of Newton by the New Hampshire State Tax Commission.

8. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the voters of the Town of Newton will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of fifty-five hundred (\$5,500.00) to be used in conjunction with the fund already raised by the Volunteer Fire Co. to complete a program planned to provide tank trucks for the Village, the Junction and the Forestry service.

9. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to approve the sale of the 1940 Chevrolet Tank Truck at public auction, after the new tank truck program is in effect — the proceeds to be put into a fund for future fire department needs.

10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the 1955 Chevrolet chassis for Tank Truck No. 5 from the Newton Junction Firemen's Association and sell the old 1948 Chevrolet chassis back to the Newton Junction Firemen's Association for the sum of one dollar (\$1.00).

11. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to establish a planning board of seven members with duties as set forth in Sections 1-15, Chapter 36, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, to make a study of the town's development and report to the town appropriate recommendations for the promotion and maintenance of the town's best development. The board shall consist of one Selectman and six other citizens appointed by the Selectmen as provided in Chapter 36, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955.

12. On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article I, Section 4, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the words, "and the Building Inspector" immediately after the word, "Selectmen".

2. To add the following subparagraph,
“a. A development is defined as being: the division of a tract of land into two (2) or more building lots.”

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article I, Section 6, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the following, “, gravelled a minimum of six (6) inches, oil or tar surfaced,” immediately after the word, “graded”.
2. To insert the following, “, approved by the Town Road Commissioner,” immediately after the word, “wide”.
3. To add the following subparagraph,
“a. The developer shall be required to post a performance bond to cover the guarantee that the proposed road(s) will be built according to all applicable specifications contained herein.”

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 1, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. In the first and second sentences, to delete the words, “five hundred (500)” and insert in their places the words, “six hundred (600)”.
2. To transform the second sentence, in its entirety into subparagraph “a.”
3. To add the following subparagraph,
“b. In order for any builder to construct a multiple family dwelling with a living area of less than six hundred (600) square feet for each family unit, said builder shall petition the Board of Adjustments for the granting of a variance. The granting of such variance shall be at the discretion of the said Board, but said petition MUST HAVE THE APPROVAL OF THE Building Inspector prior to its granting by the Board of Adjustments.”

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 2, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To delete the words, "on footings" immediately after the word, "Foundations".
2. To insert the words, ", but not less than a depth of three (3) feet (unless founded upon bedrock)" immediately after the word, "line".
3. To insert the words, "on footings not less than eighteen (18) inches wide and six (6) inches deep, unless soil conditions are adjudged by the Building Inspector to be such as to demand greater footing areas," immediately after the word, "thick".

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 3, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To add the following subparagraphs,
 - "a. All framing material used shall be sound and free from rot and weakening flaws.
 - "b. All framing and supporting members shall be designed and developed to the required strength and rigidity according to the specifications prescribed in the tables located at the end of Section 3, and shall be securely fastened with approved nails or connecting devices.
 - "c. All lally columns and pier supports shall be not less than eight (8) feet apart and shall be supported by footings not less than twenty-four (24) inches long, twenty-four (24) inches wide, and ten (10) inches deep.
 - "d. All framing members at openings shall be doubled and suitably fastened or spiked together and shall be of adequate size and strength.
 - "e. All corners shall be properly braced, unless plywood sheathing of one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) inch or more thickness is used.
 - "f. Approved bridging is required between joists.
 - "g. All exterior wood framework shall be supported on the foundation walls not less than six (6) inches above finish grade."

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 4, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To delete the words, "Every building" and insert in their stead the words, "Each family unit".

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 6, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the words, "All chimneys" immediately after the title word, "Chimneys".
2. In the second sentence, to delete the word "ground" and insert in its stead the word, "concrete".
3. To add a third sentence as follows: "There shall be a minimum of one (1) inch of air space between framing and any masonry structure such as a chimney."

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II, Section 8, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the following two sentences immediately after the first sentence, "The size of a septic tank shall be no less than five hundred (500) gallons capacity. Metal septic tanks are prohibited."

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article II of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert an additional section as follows:
"Section 9. Specification Tables." (See Section 3, this Article.)

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

TABLE I.

**Minimum Live Loads Allowable For Use In The Design Of
Buildings To Be Constructed**

Human Occupancy	Lbs./Sq. Ft.
Dwellings	40
Hospital rooms and wards	40
Hotel guest rooms and lobbies	40
Tenements	40
Office buildings	50
School rooms	50
Corridors — hospitals, hotels, schools	100
Assembly rooms w/fixed seats	50
Grandstands	100
Theater stages	100
Gymnasiums	100
Stairways, fire escapes	100
 Industrial/Commercial	 Lbs./Sq. Ft.
Storage (General)	250
Storage (Special)	100
Manufacturing (Light)	75
Printing plants	100
Wholesale stores (Light m'dse)	100
Retail storerooms (Light m'dse)	75
Stables	75
Garages (Vehicles — all types)	100
Garages (Pass. cars only)	80
Sidewalks	250
Roofs up to 4" per foot slope	30
Roofs 4" to 12" per foot slope	20

TABLE II.

Permissible Reductions In Live Loads

No. of Floors Carrying	Per Cent	
One	00	
Two	10	Except for storage buildings, the reductions shown at left are permitted in the design of columns, piers, walls, founda- tions, trusses and girders.
Three	20	
Four	30	
Five	40	
Six	45	
Seven	50	

TABLE III.
Maximum Span Of Rafters

Grade No. 1 lumber — Maximum allowable lengths between supports				
Dimensions of lumber	Rafter Spacing on centers	So. Pine, Doug. Fir f — 1,400 lbs.*	Western Hemlock f — 1,100 lbs.*	Spruce f — 1,000 lbs.*
2" x 4"	12"	8' 10"	8' 5"	8' 1"
	16"	7' 8"	7' 4"	7' 0"
	24"	6' 4"	6' 0"	5' 9"
2" x 6"	12"	13' 6"	12' 11"	12' 4"
	16"	11' 10"	11' 4"	10' 9"
	24"	9' 9"	9' 4"	9' 11"
2" x 8"	12"	17' 10"	17' 1"	16' 3"
	16"	15' 7"	14' 11"	14' 3"
	24"	12' 11"	12' 4"	11' 9"
2" x 10"	12"	22' 4"	21' 4"	20' 4"
	16"	19' 7"	18' 9"	17' 10"
	24"	16' 3"	15' 6"	14' 10"

*f — allowable stress in extreme fibre in bending.

TABLE IV.
Maximum Span Of Joists Limited By Deflection

Size of joists	Spacing on centers	40 lbs.	50 lbs.	70 lbs.	80 lbs.	100 lbs.
2" x 8"	12"	13' 3"	12' 7"	11' 6"	11' 2"	10' 6"
	16"	12' 2"	11' 6"	10' 6"	10' 2"	9' 7"
2" x 10"	12"	16' 8"	15' 10"	14' 7"	14' 1"	13' 3"
	16"	15' 4"	14' 6"	13' 4"	12' 10"	12' 1"
2" x 12"	12"	20' 1"	19' 1"	17' 7"	17' 0"	16' 0"
	16"	18' 6"	17' 7"	16' 1"	15' 6"	14' 7"
2" x 14"	12"	23' 6"	22' 4"	20' 7"	19' 10"	18' 8"
	16"	21' 8"	20' 6"	18' 10"	18' 1"	17' 1"

TABLE IV. — (Continued)

2" x 16"	12"	26' 10"	25' 6"	23' 6"	22' 9"	21' 5"
	16"	24' 9"	23' 6"	21' 7"	20' 10"	19' 7"
3" x 8"	12"	15' 4"	14' 7"	13' 5"	13' 0"	12' 3"
	16"	14' 2"	13' 5"	12' 4"	11' 11"	11' 2"
3" x 10"	12"	19' 4"	18' 4"	16' 10"	16' 4"	15' 5"
	16"	17' 10"	16' 11"	15' 6"	15' 0"	14' 1"
3" x 12"	12"	23' 2"	22' 1"	20' 4"	19' 8"	18' 7"
	16"	21' 6"	20' 5"	18' 9"	18' 1"	17' 0"
3" x 14"	12"	27' 0"	25' 9"	23' 9"	23' 3"	21' 9"
	16"	25' 1"	23' 3"	21' 11"	21' 2"	20' 0"
3" x 16"	12"	30' 9"	29' 4"	27' 2"	26' 3"	24' 10"
	16"	28' 8"	27' 3"	25' 2"	24' 3"	22' 10"
4" x 8"	12"	16' 11"	16' 1"	14' 10"	14' 4"	13' 6"
	16"	15' 8"	14' 10"	13' 8"	13' 2"	12' 5"
4" x 10"	12"	21' 2"	20' 2"	18' 8"	18' 1"	17' 0"
	16"	19' 8"	18' 9"	17' 3"	16' 7"	15' 8"
4" x 12"	12"	25' 5"	24' 3"	22' 5"	21' 9"	20' 6"
	16"	23' 8"	22' 6"	20' 9"	20' 1"	18' 11"

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article III, Section 2, of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the following sentence immediately after the first sentence, "Ordinary repairs, interior decorating or maintenance of buildings and structures may be made without application or notice to the Building Inspector, but such repairs, decorating or maintenance shall not be construed to include any structural changes."

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article VI, Sections 6 and 7 of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To delete the words, "two dollars (\$2.00)" and in their stead insert the words, "five dollars (\$5.00)".

On the request of ten or more legal voters of Newton, to see if the Town of Newton will vote to amend Article

VI, Section 8 of the BUILDING CODE AND SAFETY ORDINANCE, as follows:

1. To insert the word, "temporary" immediately after the first "of" in the sentence.

Given under our hands and seal, this 11th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-four.

ROBERT E. FRYER

WILLIAM A. BAKER

WALLACE B. NYBERG

Selectmen of Newton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROBERT E. FRYER

WILLIAM A. BAKER

WALLACE B. NYBERG

Selectmen of Newton.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1964 to December 31, 1964 compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1963	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1963	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1964
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:			
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$800.00	\$903.71	\$800.00
Railroad Tax	150.00		
Savings Bank Tax	5.00	194.41	100.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		116.87	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	450.00	425.00	450.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	100.00	32.00	50.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	200.00	270.00	200.00
Income from Trust Funds	6.00	3.00	
Highway Dept. — Rental of Equipment		450.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	9,000.00	10,455.34	10,000.00
Insurance Refund		222.33	
Cash Surplus		2,000.00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes —			
Regular @ \$2.00	1,100.00	1,234.00	1,200.00
(b) Yield Taxes	100.00	140.40	100.00

TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES

EXCEPT PROP. TAXES	\$11,911.00	\$16,447.06	\$12,900.00
Donation — Camp Tasker	200.00	200.00	200.00

*AMT. TO BE RAISED BY			
PROPERTY TAXES			\$161,340.93
TOTAL REVENUES			\$174,440.93

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Actual
Appropriations
Previous
Year 1963Actual
Expenditures
Previous
Year 1963Estimated
Expenditures
Ensuing
Year 1964

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$3,800.00	\$3,581.26	\$4,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,000.00	2,093.48	2,100.00
Election and Registration	200.00	219.00	650.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	1,000.00	866.50	1,000.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	1,000.00	1,310.49	1,500.00
Fire Department	3,000.00	2,914.72	3,000.00
Moth Exterm. — Blister Rust & Care of Trees	200.00	100.00	200.00
Insurance	1,400.00	1,301.20	1,400.00
Damage by Dogs	25.00		25.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	200.00	15.00	200.00
Civil Defense	200.00	48.42	200.00

Health:

Health Department	100.00	94.02	100.00
Vital Statistics	50.00	46.00	50.00
Town Dump	600.00	596.50	600.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance—Summer ..	7,000.00	6,751.61	7,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	4,000.00	6,203.46	4,000.00
Street Lighting	4,200.00	3,880.91	4,200.00
Town Road Aid	264.77	264.77	263.46
Libraries	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00

Public Welfare:

Town Poor	300.00	506.74	500.00
Old Age Assistance	2,700.00	3,262.30	3,500.00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	125.00	118.80	125.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	600.00	598.78	600.00
Abatements and Refunds		82.77	
Taxes Bought		~~7,095.34~~	

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	100.00	204.75	200.00
County Taxes	6,500.00	5,717.68	6,150.00
School Taxes	136,784.91	97,104.98	131,877.47
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$177,349.68	\$145,979.48	\$174,440.93

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

	Number	Amount
Land and Buildings		\$3,629,925.00
Mills and Machinery		15,400.00
Electric Plants		100,000.00
Land owned by Trailer Owners		32,700.00
House Trailers used as		
Dwellings	40	149,500.00
Gas Transmission Lines		46,734.00
Stock in Trade		54,750.00
Boats and Launches	92	14,650.00
Vehicles — Junk Cars	54	2,750.00
Horses, Asses and Mules	13	725.00
Cows	56	6,925.00
Sheep and Goats	10	100.00
Fowls	4,550	1,820.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	11	1,280.00
Portable Mills	1	600.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		6,325.00
Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions		\$4,064,184.00
Less: Veterans' Exemptions		77,800.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is		
Computed		\$3,986,384.00
Amt. of Property Valuation Exempted to		
Veterans		77,800.00
Number of inventories distributed		681
Number of inventories returned		385
No. of Veterans who received Property Exemption		74
No. of Veterans exempt from Poll Tax		146

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. FRYER

WILLIAM A. BAKER

WALLACE B. NYBERG

Selectmen

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES

ASSESSED FOR 1963 AND TAX RATE

Town Officers' Salaries	\$3,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,000.00
Election and Registration	200.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	1,000.00
Police Department	1,000.00
Fire Department	3,000.00
Care of Trees	200.00
Insurance	1,400.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	
(Dog Damage \$25.00) (Other \$200.00)	225.00
Civilian Defense	200.00
Health Department	100.00
Vital Statistics	50.00
Dump	600.00
Town Maintenance — Summer	7,000.00
Town Maintenance — Winter	4,000.00
Street Lighting	4,200.00
Town Road Aid	264.77
Libraries	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	2,700.00
Town Poor	300.00
Memorial Day	125.00
Cemeteries	600.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	100.00
Crane's Crossing — Special Appropriation	3,500.00
Chairs for Town Hall — Special Appropriation	400.00
Total Town Appropriations	\$37,964.77
County Tax	5,717.68
School Tax	123,170.34

Total Town, County & School Appropriations \$166,852.79

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$903.71
Railroad Tax	100.00
Savings Bank Tax — 1962	101.00
Savings Bank Tax — 1963	93.41
Interest on Taxes and Deposits	266.00
Permits and Filing Fees	200.00
Dog Licenses	500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	8,500.00
Rent of Town Property	100.00
Income from Trust Funds	4.00
Cash Surplus	2,200.00

Total Revenues and Credits	<u>\$12,968.12</u>
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	<u>\$153,884.67</u>
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Plus Overlay	<u>2,584.31</u>
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Net Amount to be raised by Taxation	\$156,468.98
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Less: 500 Poll Taxes at \$2.00	<u>1,000.00</u>
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes	\$155,468.98
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Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$155,468.98
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Poll Taxes at \$2.00	<u>1,000.00</u>
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Total Taxes to be Committed	\$156,468.98
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Tax Rate Approved by State

Tax Commission	\$3.90 per \$100.00
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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1963

Name of Appropriation	Appropriations	Credits	Total Amt. Available	Expenditures	Balances	Over drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$3,800.00		\$3,800.00	\$3,581.26	\$218.74	
Town Officers' Expenses	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,093.48		\$93.48
Election and Registration	200.00		200.00	219.00		19.00
Town Hall & Other Buildings	1,000.00	\$270.00	1,270.00	866.50	403.50	
Fire Department	3,000.00	116.87	3,116.87	2,914.72	202.15	
Police Department	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,310.49		310.49
Care of Trees	200.00		200.00	100.00	100.00	
Insurance	1,400.00	222.33	1,622.33	1,301.20	321.13	
Civilian Defense	200.00		200.00	43.42	151.58	
Cemeteries	600.00		600.00	598.78	1.22	
Health Department	100.00		100.00	94.02	5.98	
Vital Statistics	50.00		50.00	46.00	4.00	
Town Dump	600.00		600.00	596.50	3.50	
Town Maintenance—Summer	7,000.00		7,000.00	6,751.61	248.39	
Town Maintenance—Winter	4,000.00	450.00	4,450.00	6,203.46		1,753.46
Town Road Aid	264.77		264.77	264.77		
Street Lighting	4,200.00		4,200.00	3,880.91	319.09	
Libraries	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		
Town Poor	300.00		300.00	506.74		206.74
Old Age Assistance	2,700.00		2,700.00	3,262.30		562.30
Memorial Day	125.00		125.00	118.80	6.20	
Legal Expense & Dog Damage	225.00		225.00	15.00	185.00	
Interest on Loans	100.00		100.00	204.75		104.75

County Tax	6,500.00	6,500.00	5,717.68	782.32	
School Tax	97,104.98	97,104.98	97,104.98		
Chairs for Town Hall —					49.50
Special Appropriation	400.00	400.00	449.50		
Crane's Crossing —					
Special Appropriation	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	
School Deficiency —					
Special Appropriation	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	
Totals	\$141,769.75	\$1,059.20	\$142,828.95	\$2,952.80	\$3,099.72
Net Overdraft					\$121.92

BALANCE SHEET

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer 12-31-63	\$66,199.36
3 Shares Merr. Valley Bank Stock	60.00
Unredeemed Taxes for year 1963	6,711.59
Unredeemed Taxes for year 1962	2,295.34
Unredeemed Taxes for year 1961	110.23
Unredeemed Taxes for year 1960	4.85
Uncollected Taxes for year 1963	231.32
Uncollected Taxes for year 1962	14.00
Uncollected State Head Taxes for year 1963	570.00
Uncollected State Head Taxes for Prev. Yrs.	15.00
Total Assets	\$76,211.69

LIABILITIES

Uncollected State Head Taxes 1963	\$570.00
Due to School Districts	64,670.34
Total Liabilities	\$65,240.34
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	10,971.35
	\$76,211.69

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall — land and buildings	\$25,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	4,400.00
Library — land and building	2,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Police Department Equipment	1,000.00
Fire Department — land and buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	10,500.00
Highway Department Equipment	1,400.00
Schools — land and buildings	72,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Highland Cemetery and Tomb	1,500.00
Willow Grove Cemetery	1,000.00

Property Acquired by Tax Collector's Deed:

Mary A. S. Hayford — 1 acre land	25.00
Edmund Peaslee land — 2 acres land	40.00
Ralph Boswell land — 1 acre land	25.00
John Currier Heirs — 9 acres land	150.00

Total	\$144,040.00
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TOWN CLERK'S REPORT FOR 1963

Auto Permits for 1963	\$10,268.67	
Auto Permits for 1962	166.92	
Auto Permits for 1964	19.75	
Dog Licenses	428.50	
Filing Fees	13.00	
	\$10,893.39	
Paid to Treasurer		\$10,893.39

RECORDS OF TOWN MEETING

MARCH 12, 1963

On motion of William A. Baker it was voted that the polls close at 7 P.M. and meeting adjourn until Wednesday, March 13, 1963 at 8 P.M.

Total of Votes cast — 546.

Selectman for Three Years

James E. Hampson	75
Wallace B. Nyberg	383
Irving L. Smith	55
William H. Page	19

Town Clerk for One Year

Pearl R. Willis	496
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Treasurer for One Year

Kenneth F. Briggs	473
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Tax Collector for One Year

Augusta Kimball 453

Constable for One Year

Richard S. Hanson 370

Lucien M. Cloutier 166

Road Commissioner

Raymond E. Estabrook 300

Ward B. Brown 243

Cemetery Trustee for Three Years

Harry B. Merrifield 465

Trustee of Trust Funds for Three Years

Fred H. Cust 446

Trustee of Gale Library for Three Years

Ella M. Yates 482

Auditors for One Year Each

Everett O. Kelly 454

Robert Rowe 31

“Shall the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of Beano be adopted in this town?”

Yes 341

No 113

A true copy — Attest: PEARL R. WILLIS, Town Clerk

REPORT OF TOWN MEETING

NEWTON, N. H.

MARCH 13, 1963

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 p.m., by the Moderator, Clifford R. Bryer.

Article 1. Results of the balloting on Tuesday, March 12, 1963, for town officers, were read by the Moderator. On a motion by Everett E. Coombs, for the Finance Committee, it was voted that all officers not elected by ballot, be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 2. On a motion by Mr. Coombs, for the Finance Committee, it was voted to accept the list of Estimated Expenditures for the ensuing year 1963, and to raise and appropriate an amount necessary to cover the same, namely \$40,564.77.

Article 3. On a motion by Mr. Coombs, it was voted to accept the reports of Town Officers as printed in the Town Report.

Article 4. On a motion by Fred H. Cust, the Selectmen were authorized to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 5. On a motion by Mr. Coombs, the Selectmen were authorized to sell property acquired by Tax Collector's Deed or through Old Age Assistance; or any other property of the town not used for Public Purposes.

Article 6. "To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$264.77 to receive \$1765.16 for Class V Roads." The Moderator ruled that action was unnecessary

on this article because it has been covered by the action on Article 2.

Article 7. On a motion by Mr. Cust, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3500.00 to pay Newton's share of installing signals at Crane's Crossing.

Article 8. On a motion by Selectman Robert E. Fryer, it was voted to remove the existing Red Cross Room and store the contents in an existing room at the rear of the vault.

Article 9. On a motion by Mr. Coombs, it was voted to pay the Tax Collector as full compensation for the collection of property and poll taxes a commission of one per cent of the sum collected. By a show of hands the vote was 42 yes and 17 no.

Article 10. On a motion by Mr. Fryer, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to purchase 100 new chairs for the Town Hall.

Article 11. "To see if the town will vote to authorize the reassessment of all property . . . within the Town of Newton. This reassessment to be conducted by qualified assessors other than the Selectmen and a copy of this reassessment with a description of the property to appear in the Annual Town Report."

Mr. Cust made a motion that this article be accepted as printed and it was seconded by Ellery F. Atwood. Both later rescinded their action.

Mr. Atwood made a motion that this article be considered by those present; the motion was duly seconded and voted affirmatively.

After a general discussion Howard L. Bowen made a motion that this article be accepted as printed. This motion was not carried.

Article 12. "To raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$3000.00 for the reassessment of all taxable

property in the Town of Newton.” The Moderator declared that action on this article was not necessary because of the action taken on Article 11.

Article 13. Edward N. Lynn made a motion that the value of property in this town in excess of \$2000.00 be printed in the Town Report. This motion was not carried.

Mr. Bowen made a motion that the Selectmen be authorized to allow the Town Hall to be used for Banquets. Mr. Atwood offered an amendment to this motion adding, “at the discretion of the Selectmen.” This amendment was carried by a show of hands with 35 voting yes and 15 no. The main motion was also carried.

On a motion by Kenneth A. Field, James A. Marden was given an ovation in appreciation of his 24 years on the Board of Selectmen. In acknowledging this tribute, Mr. Marden thanked the people of Newton for their cooperation and confidence.

The Moderator reappointed Elmer C. Bearce for a three year term on the Board of Adjustments as provided for in the Building Code Ordinances.

Mr. Bryer also appointed and/or reappointed members to the Finance Committee, giving it the present membership of: Perry A. Xenakis, Henry C. Finkler, and Gordon A. Cheney, whose terms expire in 1964; Wallace B. Nyberg, Forrest T. Reynolds, Jr., and Ralph M. Bean, whose terms expire in 1965; William D. Cross, Fred H. Cust, and David W. Richards, whose terms expire in 1966.

On a motion by Horace R. Williams, it was voted to adjourn the meeting at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

PEARL R. WILLIS,

Town Clerk.

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1963

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$4,275.00
Added Taxes	55.00

Total Commitment	\$4,330.00
Penalties Collected	17.00

TOTAL DEBITS	\$4,347.00
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$3,525.00
Penalties	17.00

	\$3,542.00
Abatements	235.00
Uncollected Head Taxes as per Collector's List	570.00

TOTAL CREDITS	\$4,347.00
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Added Head Taxes 1963

Durgin, Gladys	\$5.00
Durgin, Donald	5.00
Morse, Earl, Jr.	5.00
Morse, Vivian	5.00

Page, John F.	5.00
Cushing, Richard	5.00
Bushong, Richard	5.00
Bushong, Patricia	5.00
Cadorette, Euzeb	5.00
Bilodeau, Raymond	5.00
George, Renate	5.00
	\$55.00

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AUGUSTA KIMBALL,

Tax Collector.

Abatements 1963

Emerson, Fred — Not 21	\$5.00
Emerson, Lorraine — Not 21	5.00
Greaney, Katherine — Not 21	5.00
Hatch, Marion — Over 70	5.00
Hollenbeck, Frederick — Over 70	5.00
Halliday, Bertha — Over 70	5.00
Hoyt, Mary — Over 70	5.00
Locke, Hattie — Over 70	5.00
Locke, Harold — Over 70	5.00
LaVene, Katherine — Over 70	5.00
Hendrix, Frank — Left Town	5.00
Morin, Claire — Not living here	5.00
Marchand, Richard — Moved	5.00
Marchand, Edrie — Moved	5.00
Merriman, Esther — Moved	5.00
Phillips, Ruth — Not living here	5.00
Perkins, Norman — Moved to Rockport	5.00
Riley, Alfred — Moved	5.00
Riley, Marilyn — Moved	5.00

Roach, Alma — Over 70	5.00
Rushde, Francis — Living in Peabody	5.00
Rushde, Catherine — Living in Peabody	5.00
Spyrka, Janet — Left Town	5.00
Standring, David T. — In active service	5.00
Vance, William — Moved	5.00
Vance, Dorothy — Moved	5.00
Winter, Roland — Lives in Merrimac	5.00
Wenmark, Mary — Over 70	5.00
Wenmark, Corinne — In book twice	5.00
Adair, John — Moved	5.00
Adair, Dorothea — Moved	5.00
Bocuzzo, Kenneth — Moved	5.00
Bocuzzo, Evelyn — Moved	5.00
Bray, Marion — Over 70	5.00
Clocher, Raymond — Moved long ago	5.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved long ago	5.00
Cormier, Lydia — Moved to Plaistow	5.00
Cormier, Elide — Moved to Plaistow	5.00
Cushing, Russell — Does not live here	5.00
Cushing, Evelyn — Does not live here	5.00
Card, Viola — Over 70	5.00
Deragon, Joseph — Over 70	5.00
Deragon, Josephine — Over 70	5.00
Boyd, Deborah — Lives in Epping	5.00
Moisan, William — Over 70	5.00
Branconnier, Joseph — Moved	5.00
Branconnier, Mrs. Joseph — Moved	5.00

\$235.00

Uncollected Head Taxes 1963

Brown, Ray	\$5.00
Brown, Barbara	5.00
Bower, George	5.00
Bower, Ann	5.00
Bragdon, Harold	5.00
Bragdon, Lorraine	5.00
Bilodeau, Raymond, Jr.	5.00

Bilodeau, Mrs. Raymond, Jr.	5.00
Busch, Richard	5.00
Busch, Ruth	5.00
Bullis, Ellis	5.00
Bullis, Velma	5.00
Chouinard, William, Sr.	5.00
Chouinard, Rose	5.00
Cypher, Ronald	5.00
Cypher, Doris	5.00
Chase, David	5.00
Currier, Forrest	5.00
Currier, Constance	5.00
Danley, Henry	5.00
Danley, Pauline	5.00
Darling, William	5.00
DeRoche, Earl	5.00
DeRoche, Mrs. Earl	5.00
Dow, Lawrence	5.00
Dow, Irene	5.00
Doyle, Thomas	5.00
Doyle, Sandra	5.00
Eckhardt, Charles	5.00
Eckhardt, Beverly	5.00
Estabrook, Robert	5.00
Elliott, Samuel	5.00
Fowler, John	5.00
George, Clarence	5.00
Graves, Harold, Jr.	5.00
Graves, Monica	5.00
Green, Alice	5.00
Gallagher, Edward	5.00
Goad, Bernard	5.00
Goad, Marjorie	5.00
Gavin, Donald	5.00
Gavin, Janet	5.00
Hart, William	5.00
Hart, Shirley	5.00
Haseltine, Albert	5.00
Haseltine, Marjorie	5.00

Hadley, Joseph	5.00
Jameson, John C.	5.00
Jendrick, Edmond	5.00
Jendrick, Lois	5.00
Kinch, Anna	5.00
Kotuli, Myron	5.00
Kotuli, Genevieve	5.00
LaVallee, Herman	5.00
LaVallee, Katherine	5.00
Lawless, Charles	5.00
Levesque, Wilfred	5.00
Levesque, Ella	5.00
Madson, Ivan	5.00
Madson, Violet	5.00
Moore, John B.	5.00
Moore, Mary	5.00
Montgomery, Paul	5.00
Montgomery, Doris	5.00
Mayo, Robert	5.00
Mayo, Mrs. Robert	5.00
McCracken, William	5.00
McSorley, Florence	5.00
Nilsson, Regnar	5.00
Nilsson, Jacqueline	5.00
Noonan, Richard	5.00
Noonan, Arlene	5.00
Noble, William	5.00
Noble, Doris	5.00
Parker, Joseph	5.00
Parker, Dorothy	5.00
Parker, Scott	5.00
Parker, Barbara	5.00
Pool, Arthur	5.00
Pool, Jean	5.00
Panek, Francis	5.00
Panek, Mrs. Francis	5.00
Packer, Forrest	5.00
Perreault, Alfred, Sr.	5.00
Ryan, Charles	5.00

Reagan, Robert	5.00
Reagan, Janet	5.00
Storey, Vernon	5.00
Storey, Lois	5.00
Smart, Albert	5.00
Smart, June	5.00
Shaw, Llewellyn	5.00
Shaw, Elsie	5.00
Sechendorf, Howard	5.00
Sechendorf, Mary	5.00
Sainsbury, John	5.00
Sainsbury, Dorothy	5.00
Smith, Clifford, Jr.	5.00
Turcotte, Willard	5.00
Tift, Robert M.	5.00
Ward, Emily	5.00
West, Wilfred	5.00
West, Eleanor	5.00
West, Norman	5.00
West, Alice	5.00
Wile, Henry	5.00
Wile, Carol	5.00
White, Robert	5.00
White, Kathleen	5.00
Willey, Ralph	5.00
Willey, Susie	5.00
Wheeler, Wendell	5.00
Page, John F.	5.00
McDonald, Frederick	5.00

\$570.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1962

DR.

Uncollected Taxes as of

Jan. 1, 1963

\$465.00

Added Head Taxes during 1963	25.00
Penalties Collected	36.00

TOTAL DEBITS**\$526.00****CR.**

Remittances to Treasurer
during 1963:

Head Taxes	\$360.00
Penalties Collected	36.00
Abatements during 1963	115.00
Uncollected Head Taxes	15.00

TOTAL CREDITS**\$526.00****Added Head Taxes**

Levesque, Wilfred	\$5.00
Levesque, Ella	5.00
Spyrka, Stanley	5.00
Bean, Ruth	5.00
Lilly, Wayne	5.00

\$25.00**Uncollected Head Taxes**

Kimball, David E.	\$5.00
Ward, Emily	5.00
Putnam, Aubrey	5.00

\$15.00**Abatements**

Brown, Ray — Moved	\$5.00
Brown, Eleanor — Moved	5.00
Bilodeau, Kenneth — Moved to Merrimac	5.00
Bilodeau, Patricia — Moved to Merrimac	5.00
Branconnier, Joseph — Moved	5.00
Branconnier, Mrs. Joseph — Moved	5.00
Comi, Robert — Moved	5.00

Comi, Mrs. Robert — Moved	5.00
Clocher, Raymond — Moved long ago	5.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved long ago	5.00
Davenport, Robert, Jr. — Does not live here	5.00
Durgin, Harold — Moved	5.00
Durgin, Lorraine — Moved	5.00
Goad, Ralph — Over 70	5.00
Mayo, Mrs. R. E. — Not 21	5.00
Reagan, Mrs. Robert — Not 21	5.00
Stark, Joseph — Moved	5.00
Stark, Eleanor — Moved	5.00
Theberge, Alfred — Moved	5.00
Locke, Walter — Pays in Andover, N. H.	5.00
Pynn, George — Not 21	5.00
Vadeboncouer, Mr. — Moved	5.00
Vadeboncouer, Mrs. — Moved	5.00

\$115.00

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AUGUSTA KIMBALL,

Tax Collector.

1960 STATE HEAD TAX

DR.

Uncollected State Head Taxes

as of Jan. 1, 1963 \$10.00

TOTAL DEBITS

\$10.00

CR.

Abatements during year

\$10.00

TOTAL CREDITS

\$10.00

Abatements

Clocher, Raymond — Moved long ago	\$5.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved long ago	5.00
	\$10.00

1961 HEAD TAX**DR.**

Uncollected State Head Taxes	
as of Jan. 1, 1963	\$45.00
Penalties Collected	2.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$47.00

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer	
during 1963	\$20.00
Penalties Collected	2.00
Abatements	25.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$47.00

Abatements

Bilodeau, Kenneth — Moved to Merrimac	\$5.00
Bilodeau, Patricia — Moved to Merrimac	5.00
Clocher, Raymond — Moved long ago	5.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved long ago	5.00
Tebo, Ellen — Moved to Plaistow	5.00
	\$25.00

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AUGUSTA KIMBALL,

Tax Collector.

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1963

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$155,469.02
Poll Taxes	1,034.00

Total Warrant	\$156,503.02
Yield Taxes	140.40
Poll List	356.00

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$503.10
Poll Taxes	22.00

	\$525.10
Interest Collected	68.90

TOTAL DEBITS	\$157,593.42
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$154,376.91
Poll Taxes	1,234.00
Yield Taxes	140.40
Interest Collected	68.90
	\$155,820.21

Abatements:

Property Taxes	\$29.25
Poll Taxes	94.00
	\$123.25

Discount Allowed	1,418.64
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**Uncollected Taxes as per
Collector's List:**

Property Taxes	\$149.32
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Poll Taxes	82.00	
		\$231.32

TOTAL CREDITS	\$157,593.42
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Added Property Taxes

Bishop, Margaret	\$214.50
Vachon, J. Robert and Lorraine	249.60
Loring, Paul	39.00
	\$503.10

Added Polls

Durgin, Gladys	\$2.00
Durgin, Donald	2.00
Morse, Vivian	2.00
Ward, Emily	2.00
Page, John F.	2.00
Bushong, Richard	2.00
Bushong, Patricia	2.00
Cadorete, Euzeb	2.00
Bilodeau, Raymond	2.00
George, Renate	2.00
Jameson, Milton	2.00
	\$22.00

Property Abatements 1963

Gallagher, Edward and Florence	\$1.95
Peasley, Leo	7.80
Streeter, Chester	15.60
Mayhew, David	3.90
	\$29.25

Poll Abatements

Adair, John — Moved	\$2.00
Adair, Dorothea — Moved	2.00
Bray, Marion — Over 70	2.00
Card, Viola — Over 70	2.00

Deragon, Joseph — Over 70	2.00
Deragon, Josephine — Over 70	2.00
Emery, Granville — Over 70	2.00
Germain, Eloida — In book twice	2.00
Hatch, Marion — Over 70	2.00
Halliday, Bertha — Over 70	2.00
Hoyt, Mary — Over 70	2.00
Locke, Hattie — Over 70	2.00
Lord, Robert — Veteran	2.00
Lukas, Feodore — Moved	2.00
Lukas, Lorraine — Moved	2.00
Morin, Claire — Not living here	2.00
Roach, Alma — Over 70	2.00
Wenmark, Mary — Over 70	2.00
McKenney, Evajane — Veteran	2.00
Vance, Dorothy — Moved	2.00
Boyd, Deborah — Lives in Epping	2.00
Clocher, Raymond — Moved long ago	2.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved long ago	2.00
Cormier, Lydia — Moved to Plaistow	2.00
Cormier, Elide — Moved to Plaistow	2.00
Emerson, Lorraine — Not 21	2.00
Forte, John — Veteran	2.00
Greaney, Katherine — Not 21	2.00
Harriman, Charles — Veteran	2.00
Hendrix, Frank — Left Town	2.00
Marchand, Richard — Left Town	2.00
Marchand, Edrie — Left Town	2.00
Merriman, Esther — Moved	2.00
Branconnier, Joseph — Moved	2.00
Branconnier, Mrs. Joseph — Moved	2.00
Phillips, Ruth — Not living here	2.00
Perkins, Norman — Moved to Rockport	2.00
Rowell, V. Isabel — In book twice	2.00
Standring, David — In active service	2.00
Winter, Roland — Lives in Merrimac	2.00
Wenmark, Corinne — In book twice	2.00
Rushde, Catherine — Lives in Peabody	2.00
Chasse, James — In book twice	2.00

Emerson, Fred — Not 21	2.00
Johnson, Lillie — In book twice	2.00
LaVene, Katherine — Over 70	2.00
	\$92.00
Putnam, Aubrey — Veteran	2.00
	\$94.00

Uncollected Poll Taxes 1963

Brown, Ray, Jr.	\$2.00
Brown, Barbara	2.00
Bilodeau, Raymond, Jr.	2.00
Bilodeau, Mrs. Raymond	2.00
Darling, William	2.00
DeRoche, Mrs. Earl	2.00
Doyle, Thomas	2.00
Doyle, Sandra	2.00
Estabrook, Robert	2.00
Graves, Harold, Jr.	2.00
Graves, Monika	2.00
Hart, Shirley	2.00
Jameson, John C.	2.00
Kotuli, Genevieve	2.00
Lawless, Charles	2.00
Levesque, Wilfred	2.00
Levesque, Ella	2.00
Mayo, Robert	2.00
Mayo, Mrs. Robert	2.00
McDonald, Frederick	2.00
McSorley, Florence	2.00
Noonan, Richard	2.00
Noonan, Arlene	2.00
Noble, William	2.00
Noble, Doris	2.00
Panek, Mrs. Francis	2.00
Parker, Scott	2.00
Parker, Barbara	2.00
Ryan, Charles	2.00
Smith, Clifford, Jr.	2.00

Wheeler, Wendell	2.00
Ward, Emily	2.00
Storey, Lois	2.00
Sainsbury, Dorothy	2.00
Gallagher, Florence	2.00
Moore, Mary	2.00
Locke, Mervin	2.00
Locke, Delia	2.00
Packer, Forrest	2.00
Willey, Ralph	2.00
Willey, Susie	2.00

\$82.00

Uncollected Property Taxes

White, Frank (Hannagan)	\$39.00
Sechendorf, Howard and Mary	110.32

\$149.32

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AUGUSTA KIMBALL,

Tax Collector.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT — 1961

DR.

Uncollected Property Taxes as of	
Jan. 1, 1963	\$90.00
Uncollected Polls	12.00
Interest Collected	2.01

TOTAL DEBITS

\$104.01

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1963:

Property	\$90.00
Polls	2.00
Interest Collected	2.01
Abatements	10.00

TOTAL CREDITS

\$104.01

Abatements Polls

Bilodeau, Kenneth — Moved to Merrimac	\$2.00
Bilodeau, Patricia — Moved to Merrimac	2.00
Clocher, Raymond — Been gone long time	2.00
Clocher, Mary — Been gone long time	2.00
Brown, Ray — Moved	2.00

\$10.00

COLLECTOR'S REPORT — 1962

DR.

Uncollected Property Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1963	\$440.20
Uncollected Polls	70.00
Added Polls	8.00
Interest Collected	1.30

TOTAL DEBITS

\$519.50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1963:

Property	\$440.20
Polls	32.00

Interest Collected	1.30
Abatements Polls	32.00
Uncollected Poll Taxes	14.00

TOTAL CREDITS	\$519.50
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Added Poll Taxes 1962

Levesque, Ella	\$2.00
Spyrka, Stanley	2.00
Bean, Ruth	2.00
Lilly, Wayne	2.00
	\$8.00

Abatements

Bilodeau, Kenneth — Moved to Merrimac	\$2.00
Bilodeau, Patricia — Moved to Merrimac	2.00
Branconnier, Joseph — Moved	2.00
Branconnier, Mrs. Joseph — Moved	2.00
Clocher, Raymond — Moved	2.00
Clocher, Mary — Moved	2.00
Stark, Joseph — Moved	2.00
Stark, Eleanor — Moved	2.00
Vadeboncouer, Mr. — Moved	2.00
Vadeboncouer, Mrs. — Moved	2.00
Comi, Robert — Moved	2.00
Comi, Mrs. Robert	2.00
Pynn, George — Not 21	2.00
Poulin, Brenda — In book twice	2.00
Terrill, Helen — Deceased	2.00
Mayo, Mrs. R. E. — Not 21	2.00

\$32.00

Uncollected Polls

Chasse, James	\$2.00
Parker, Barbara	2.00
Temple, E. R.	2.00
Temple, Mrs. E. R.	2.00
Ward, Emily	2.00

Brown, Ray, Jr.	2.00
Mayo, R. E., Jr.	2.00
	\$14.00

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1963, on account of tax levy of 1962, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

AUGUSTA KIMBALL,
Tax Collector.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT — 1959

DR.

Uncollected Property Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1963	\$234.30	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$234.30

CR.

Abatements Property	\$234.30	
TOTAL CREDITS		\$234.30

Abatements

Gibbs, George H.	\$113.60
LaFleche, Raymond	35.50
Keith, Warren	78.10
Terrill, Frank	7.10
	\$234.30

COLLECTOR'S REPORT — 1960

DR.

Uncollected Property Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1963	\$59.75	
Uncollected Poll Taxes	4.00	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$63.75

CR.

Abatements		
Property	\$59.75	
Polls	4.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		\$63.75

Abatements Polls

Clocher, Raymond — Been gone years	\$2.00	
Clocher, Mary — Been gone years	2.00	
		\$4.00

Abatements Property

Cell, Samuel	\$53.15	
Terrill, Frank	6.60	
		\$59.75

"I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1963, on account of tax levy of 1960, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief."

AUGUSTA KIMBALL,

Tax Collector.

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1963

DR.

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:			
	1963	1962	1961	1960
Taxes Sold to Town During Fiscal Year	\$7,257.04			
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes --- Jan. 1, 1963		\$4,605.88	\$1,116.88	\$122.55
Interest Collected after Sale		80.15	138.45	16.87
Redemption Costs		8.80	3.20	.80
TOTAL DEBITS	<u>\$7,257.04</u>	<u>\$4,694.83</u>	<u>\$1,258.53</u>	<u>\$140.22</u>
				<u>\$486.79</u>

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year	\$545.45	\$2,387.85	\$1,129.37	\$135.37
Abatements During Year		11.64	18.93	
Unredeemed Taxes --- At Close of Year	6,711.59	2,295.34	110.23	4.85
TOTAL CREDITS	<u>\$7,257.04</u>	<u>\$4,694.83</u>	<u>\$1,258.53</u>	<u>\$140.22</u>
				<u>\$486.79</u>

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1963	1962	1961	1960
Faubert, Laurent and Rita	\$259.04			
Jendrick, Edmund and Lois	288.53	\$228.18		
LaVallee, Herman and Katherine	202.17	159.64		
Montgomery, Paul and Doris	66.00	141.84		
Page, Norman L.	278.67			
Riley, Irving and Annabelle	103.94			
Stronach, Eben and Bertha	206.52			
Smart, Albert and June	39.23			
Shaw, Llewellyn and Elsie	280.68			
Barnum, Eugene and Ruthanne	225.68			
Busch, Richard and Ruth	298.40			
Estabrook, George and Anita	239.41			
Elliott, Samuel V.	130.15			
Fowler, Ada W.	145.19	109.78		
Goad, Gladys, Heirs	192.30			
Goad, Bernard and Marjorie	282.69	225.96		
Howard, Richard	357.19			
Madsen, Ivan and Violet	243.43			
Page, Carl and Donna	39.18			
West, Norman and Alice	243.43	190.80	\$94.32	
Gould, Joseph T.	194.26			
Haverhill Co-op. Bank	317.93			
Herr, Florence L.	43.11			

Largay, Michael and Eleanor	43.11			
Smith, Arthur, Heirs	5.43	5.10		\$4.85
Thompson, (Johnson)	298.30			
Vynorius, Theodore and Lillian	19.56	16.32		
Wells, Jack and Kathryn	43.11			
Willett, Frederick	19.56	16.32	15.91	
Bastow, Miles and Cynthia	118.63			
Hadley, Joseph	82.37			
Chasse, James	184.45	147.37		
DeRoche, Earl	241.42			
Reagan, Robert and Janet	164.92	132.49		
Sibley, George and Mary	90.59			
West, Elmer and Gertrude	195.14			
Perreault, Alfred, Sr.	198.24	140.94		
Loring, Paul	43.11			
Kotuli, Myron M.	286.52			
Graves, Harold and Monika		203.11		
Collyns, Dennis		120.78		
Donovan, Robert and Ellen		97.32		
Dwyer, William		19.43		
Harriman, Charles and Mae		159.63		
McLaughlin, Allen		180.33		
	<u>\$6,711.59</u>	<u>\$2,295.34</u>	<u>\$110.23</u>	<u>\$4.85</u>

AUGUSTA KIMBALL,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

K. F. Briggs, 1962 Treasurer	\$41,494.00
Selectmen	40,360.00

Town Clerk

1962 Auto Permits	\$207.48	
1963 Auto Permits	10,265.53	
1964 Auto Permits	19.75	
Dog Licenses	428.50	
Filing Fees	13.00	
		\$10,934.26

Tax Collector

1963 Poll & Property Tax	\$155,610.91	
1963 Yield Tax	140.40	
1963 Head Tax	3,525.00	
Previous Property Tax	530.20	
Previous Poll Tax	34.00	
Previous Head Tax	380.00	
Interest	72.21	
Head Tax Penalties	55.00	
Redeemed Taxes	4,198.04	
		\$164,545.76

Total Receipts	\$257,334.02
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PAYMENTS

Paid 305 orders drawn by Selectmen	\$191,134.66
Balance as per checkbook	\$66,199.36

Outstanding checks	2,170.19
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Balance as per Exeter Banking statement	<u>68,369.55</u>
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Total Payments	<u>\$257,334.02</u>
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ON HAND

Three Shares Merrimack Valley National Bank Stock @ \$20.00	\$60.00
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KENNETH F. BRIGGS,
1963 Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Received by Tax Collector:

1963 and back Property & Poll Taxes	\$156,247.32
1963 Yield Taxes	140.40
1963 and back Head Taxes & Penalties	3,960.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	4,198.04
	\$164,545.76

Received by Town Clerk:

Auto Permits	\$10,455.34
Dog Licenses	425.00
Filing Fees and Recount	13.00
	\$10,893.34

Received by Selectmen:

\$40,360.00

Total Receipts

\$215,799.10

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$3,627.26
Town Officers' Expenses	2,093.48
Election and Registration	219.00
Chairs for Town Hall — Special Approp.	449.50
Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings	866.50
Police Department	1,310.49
Lights and Bells at Crane's Crossing — Special Appropriation	3,500.00
Fire Department	2,914.72
Care of Trees	100.00
Insurance	1,301.20
Civil Defense	48.42
Health Department	94.02
Town Hall Furnace — Harris Fund	2,642.02

Town Dump	596.50
Town Maintenance — Summer	6,751.61
Town Maintenance — Winter	6,203.46
Town Road Aid	246.77
Street Lighting	3,880.91
Libraries	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,262.30
Town Poor	5,195.24
Memorial Day	118.80
Cemeteries	598.78
Legal Expenses	15.00
Taxes Bought by Town	7,095.34
Abatements and Refunds	82.77
State Head Taxes	3,558.00
Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	204.75
Newton Junction Firemen — Harris Fund	100.00
Bond, Debt and Retirement Tax	17.16
County Tax	5,717.68
School Deficiency — Special Appropriation	200.00
School Tax	97,104.98
Total Payments	\$191,134.66

DETAILED SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

1963 Property Taxes	\$154,376.91
1963 Poll Taxes	1,234.00
1963 Yield Tax	140.40
1963 State Head Tax	3,525.00
Property & Yield Taxes — previous years	530.20
Poll Taxes — previous years	34.00
State Head Taxes — previous years	380.00
Interest rec'd. on Taxes	72.21
Penalties on State Head Taxes	55.00
Taxes Redeemed	4,198.04
	\$164,545.76

From State:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$903.71
Savings Bank Tax — 1962	101.00
Savings Bank Tax — 1963	93.41
Forest Fire	116.87
	\$1,214.99

From Local Sources, except Taxes:

Transfer of Auditing Reserve	\$88.78
Dog Licenses	425.00
Pistol Permits & Filing Fees	32.00
Rent of Town Property	270.00
Interest rec'd. on Deposits	3.00
Registration of Motor Vehicles	10,455.34
Reimbursement for Gertrude Moisan	2,609.50
Reimbursement for Charles Chrigstrom	394.00
Reimbursement for Everett Currier	1,804.00
Reimbursement for Albert Pepler	84.00
	\$16,165.62

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Town of Kingston — Snow Removal	\$450.00
Insurance Refund	222.33
Donation — Camp Tasker	200.00
Raymond E. Estabrook — Refund	.40
Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Harris Trust Fund	3,000.00
	\$33,872.73

DETAILED SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Appropriation	\$3,800.00
Expenditures:	
Robert E. Fryer, Selectman	300.00
William A. Baker, Selectman	175.00

Wallace Nyberg, Selectman	150.00
Kenneth F. Briggs, Treasurer	150.00
Augusta Kimball, Tax Collector	1,587.41
Pearl R. Willis, Clerk	125.00
Pearl R. Willis, Auto Permits	628.00
Pearl R. Willis, Dog Licenses	31.40
Raymond E. Estabrook, Fire Chief	100.00
Everett E. Coombs, Welfare Agent	150.00
Paul Morse, Dog Officer 1962	46.95
Paul Morse, Dog Officer 1963	42.50
Otis R. Rowell, Clerk of Trust Funds	55.00
Everett O. Kelly, Auditor	20.00
Robert M. Rowe, Auditor	20.00
Total	\$3,581.26
Unexpended Balance	\$218.74

Town Officers' Expenses

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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Expenditures:

Record Publishing Co., Printing Town Reports	868.00
Dorothy Richards, postage stamps	30.00
Alfreda M. Page, typing Finance Com. Reports	62.50
Everett E. Coombs, Stamped Envelopes	23.80
Everett E. Coombs, Mileage for Finance Com.	4.00
Barbara Morse, Stenographer for Town Meeting	5.00
State of N. H., Clerks' Ass'n. dues	3.00
State of N. H., Clerks' Engrossing Fee	1.00
State of N. H., Tax Collectors' Ass'n. dues	3.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies	46.22
Sargent Bros., Tax Supplies	124.61
Wallace Nyberg, Trips to Concord and Exeter	27.25
William A. Baker, Trip to Exeter and Mileage for Assessing (1 day)	26.75
Robert E. Fryer, Mileage and Trips to Concord and Exeter and Mileage for Assessing (1 day)	61.00
Florence H. Kelly, clerical work	150.00

Florence H. Kelly, supplies and stamps for Inventories	4.24
Newton Volunteer Firemen — Delivering Town Reports	25.00
D. J. Casey Paper Co., File and Cards	3.05
State of N. H., Trailer and Boat Books	7.50
Branham Publishing Co., Book for Town Clerk	7.00
Pearl R. Willis, Clerks' Meeting in North Conway	24.00
Pearl R. Willis, Supplies	16.80
Paul Morse, Destroying Dogs	22.00
Augusta Kimball, postage	65.00
Augusta Kimball, Tax Meeting	37.45
Martin Lithograph Co., 1000 Envelopes	12.18
Rush-A-Service, 1000 No. 10 Envelopes	14.00
Haverhill Journal, Advertising Hearing on Hunt Trailer	4.50
Haverhill Gazette, Advertising Hearing on Hunt Trailer	2.52
Wallace Nyberg, Telephone	3.65
Augusta Kimball, Advertising Taxes	161.70
Kenneth F. Briggs, Mileage — Balance 1962	68.64
Kenneth F. Briggs, Mileage — 1963	158.85
State of N. H., Report on 47 Boats @ 41c each	19.27
Total	\$2,093.48
Overexpended	\$93.48

Election and Registration

Appropriation \$200.00

Expenditures:

Robert E. Fryer, Election Officer	\$10.00
James A. Marden, Election Officer	10.00
Ella M. Yates, Election Officer	10.00
Celia Green, Election Officer	10.00
Alice Gorman, Election Officer	10.00
Clarence Green, Election Officer	10.00
Clifford Bryer, Moderator	12.00
William J. Moisan, Sr., Supervisor of Checklist	34.00
Charles H. Hoyt, Supervisor of Checklist	34.00

Otis R. Rowell, Supervisor of Checklist	34.00
Record Publishing Co., Ballots	35.00
Otis R. Rowell, Janitor	10.00
Total	\$219.00
Overexpended	\$19.00

Town Hall and Other Town Buildings

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Rent received	270.00
	\$1,270.00

Expenditures:

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$183.60
Howe Fire Apparatus Co., 2 AntiFreeze Fire Extinguishers	50.56
Ralph Ordway, Oil	324.72
Otis R. Rowell, Janitor	243.50
William J. Moisan, Sr., Labor & Rubbish Removal	12.00
Cheney's General Store, 1 Push Broom and 1 Stove Lifter	4.15
Dale Lewis, Care of Lawn	9.00
TeeVee Supply Co., Batteries for Exit Lights	38.97
Total	\$866.50
Unexpended Balance	\$403.50

Fire Department

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
State of New Hampshire, Forest Fires	116.87
	\$3,116.87

Expenditures:

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., red network	\$853.30
R. Ordway, oil — Newton Jct. Fire Station	155.97
Cheney's General Store, Gloves	9.00
Howe Fire Apparatus Co., Valve for Pump	2.90

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William A. Baker, 2 Flood Lamps	9.50
Hawkins Safety Equipment Co., 3 dozen Winter Gloves	56.48
Geo. A. Watson & Sons, Repairs on Siren	225.00
Cheney's General Store, Gas & Oil	23.55
Estabrook's Garage, Gas, Oil & Repairs on Trucks	456.47
TeeVee Supply Co., Batteries	19.44
State of N. H., 4 Brass Balls & Springs, 2 Shovels & 4 Rakes	11.50
American Fire Equipment Co., 1 Fire Axe, 1 Tank, 5 pr. Boots & 6 Coats	230.69
John Hirst — Making Salvage Covers	30.00
Eureka Fire Hose Co., New Hose	313.11
Cheney's General Store, Varnish and Brush	5.09
Sudbury Laboratory, 6 gal. Douse-It	27.00
Raymond Estabrook, Forest Fire on Smith Corner Road	163.73
Senter's Auto Supply, Wheel Wrench	38.20
Newton Volunteer Firemen, Sending 9 men to Fire School	13.50
Smith's Fire Equipment Co., Refill for Extin- guishers	18.75
State of N. H., Radio & Accessories	105.09
Howe Fire Apparatus Co., 4 pr. Boots & 5 Raincoats	146.45
Total	\$2,914.72
Unexpended Balance	\$202.15

Police Department

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
Expenditures:	
Paid to Richard S. Hanson, Chief	1,310.49
Overexpended	\$310.49

Insurance

Appropriation	\$1,400.00
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Refund	47.33
Adjustment on Siren	175.00

 \$1,622.33

Expenditures:

William K. Davis Insurance Agency	1,301.20
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Unexpended Balance	\$321.13
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Civilian Defense

Appropriation	\$200.00
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Expenditures:

Treasurer of State of N. H., Supplies	\$9.05
William A. Baker, Radio Batteries	21.60
Evans Radio, Concord, parts for Radio	7.24
Joseph E. Chabot, Mileage to Concord	10.53

Total	\$48.42
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Unexpended Balance	\$151.58
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Cemeteries

Appropriation	\$600.00
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Paid to Trustees	598.78
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Unexpended Balance	\$1.22
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Health Department

Appropriation	\$100.00
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Expenditures:

Scott MacDonald, 103 Calls	\$77.25
6 Telephone Calls	8.40
2 Court Cases	8.37

Total	\$94.02
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Unexpended Balance	\$5.98
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Vital Statistics

Appropriation	\$50.00
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Expenditures:

Pearl R. Willis	46.00
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Unexpended Balance	<u>\$4.00</u>
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Town Dump

Appropriation	\$600.00
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Expenditures:

Elwood N. Dixon, Bulldozing Dump	\$259.50
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Senter Bros., Bulldozing Dump	100.00
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Chester E. Bearce, Gravel	18.00
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Chester E. Bearce, 8 yds. top soil	10.00
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Clarence B. Green, Custodian's Salary	200.00
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Joseph C. Hoyt, cleaning dump at White Sands	9.00
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Total	<u>\$596.50</u>
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Unexpended Balance	\$3.50
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Street Lighting

Appropriation	\$4,200.00
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Expenditures:

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	3,880.91
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Unexpended Balance	<u>\$319.09</u>
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Libraries

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
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Expenditures:

Paid to Library Trustees	\$1,000.00
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Old Age Assistance

Appropriation	\$2,700.00
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Expenditures:

State of New Hampshire	3,262.30
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Overexpended	<u>\$562.30</u>
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Town Poor

Appropriation	\$300.00
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Expenditures:

George Hilton, Surplus Commodities	\$131.69
Cheney's General Store, groceries	200.00
Clover Leaf Dairy, milk and margarine	20.05
Rockingham County Home & Hospital	153.50
Exeter Hospital	1.50
Total	\$506.74
Overexpended	\$206.74

Care of Trees

Appropriation	\$200.00
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Expenditures:

Mariner Benjamin, Removing fallen tree from Old Town Cemetery	\$100.00
Unexpended Balance	\$100.00

Memorial Day

Appropriation	\$125.00
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Expenditures:

Sanborn Seminary Band	\$50.00
American Knitwear & Emblem Co., 1 gross Flags	28.80
Carl Davis Post, American Legion — Firing Squad	10.00
Kaulbach-Leith, 2 Wreaths	30.00
Total	\$118.80
Unexpended Balance	\$6.20

Legal Expenses

Appropriation	\$200.00
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Expenditures:

Daniel Andernacht, Attorney Harriman Taxes, Huard Papers and Informa- tion about Furnace	\$15.00
Unexpended Balance	\$185.00

County Tax

Paid County Treasurer	\$5,717.68
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School Tax

Paid Otis R. Rowell, School Treasurer	\$97,104.98
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Unclassified

Rockingham County Home & Hospital —	
Gertrude Moisan	\$2,406.50
Everett Currier	1,804.00
Charles Chrigstrom	394.00
Alfred Pepler	84.00
N. H. State Treasurer, Head Taxes	3,558.00
Augusta Kimball, taxes bought	7,095.34
Refunds & Abatements	82.77
Exeter Banking Co., Temporary Loans	30,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	204.75
Bond, Debt & Retirement Tax	17.16

Chairs for Town Hall — Special Appropriation

Appropriation	\$400.00
Expenditures:	
Adirondack Chair Co., Inc., 100 Chairs & 2 Caddies	\$449.50
Overexpended	\$49.50

Crane's Crossing — Special Appropriation

Appropriation	\$3,500.00
Expenditures:	
Boston & Maine Railroad — Newton's Share of cost of Automatic Lights and Bells	\$3,500.00
Total cost	\$15,147.50

Town Hall Furnace

Received from Harris Trust Fund	\$3,000.00
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Expenditures:

Ward Brown, Concrete Slab	\$175.00
Ralph Bean, Installing Furnace	2,340.32
William A. Baker, Electrician	126.70

Total cost	\$2,642.02
Balance of Harris Fund	\$357.98

Transfer of Tank to New Truck

Balance from Harris Fund	\$357.98
Newton Junction Firemen	100.00

Balance of Harris Fund	\$257.98
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School Deficiency — Special Appropriation

Appropriation	\$200.00
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Expenditures:

Otis R. Rowell, School Treasurer	\$200.00
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HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

Town Maintenance

Iafolla Crushed Stone Co., Inc., Cold Patch	\$834.38
Piscataqua Tree Service, Chopping Brush	51.25
James Rosencranz, Sharpening Saw	3.00
Mystic Bituminous Products Co., Inc., 5,511 gals. M.C. 2	698.96
Ralph Buzzell, Gravel	15.00
Richard E. Sargent, 43 ft. 2" x 8" Planks	3.40
Senter Bros., Truck and Men	165.00
Senter Bros., Moving	64.00
Gordon Cheney, Brooms and Hoe	21.37
Chester E. Bearce, Loader, Truck and Sand	416.50
J. J. McClain, Trucking	13.00
Raymond E. Estabrook, Truck	2,056.25
Edward G. Hatch, Labor	881.25
Charles H. Hoyt, Labor	862.50
Clarence B. Green, Labor	121.50
Roland Estabrook, Labor	10.50
Raymond E. Estabrook, Labor	356.25
George Russell, Labor	4.50
David Huard, Labor	15.00
Maynard L. Green, Labor	18.75
Gary Standing, Labor	33.75
Gary Field, Labor	11.25
David Field, Labor	8.25
Total	\$6,665.61

Snow Account 1963

International Salt Co., Salt	\$1,190.80
Pentucket Hardware Co., Bolts & Nuts for Plow	5.80

R. C. Hazelton Co., 1 Nose Piece & 2 Shoes for Plow	31.91
Ralph Ordway, Sand	64.50
Dorothy Richards, Storage of Sand & Salt	20.00
Gordon Cheney, 2 Coveralls for Sand & Salt	5.40
J. J. McClain, Loader, Plowing & Water Holes	651.50
Edward Hilton, Plowing at Schools & Town Hall	84.50
Chester E. Bearce, Plowing & Loading Sand & Salt	341.00
Senter Bros., Trucking, Plowing & Sand	858.50
Ray Senter, Plowing & Helper	300.00
Raymond E. Estabrook, Plowing	782.75
Raymond E. Estabrook, Truck, Salting & Sanding	463.75
Raymond E. Estabrook, Labor	170.25
Edward G. Hatch, Labor	146.50
Nathaniel Sawyer, Labor	45.00
George Pynn, Labor	77.25
George Russell, Labor	85.50
David Baker, Labor	135.75
Russell Estabrook, Labor	160.50
David Huard, Labor	75.00
Charles H. Hoyt, Labor	61.50
Chester E. Bearce, Labor	241.50
Roland Estabrook, Labor	57.00
David Field, Labor	14.25
Francis Huard, Labor	12.00
David McClain, Labor	6.75
Clarence B. Green, Labor	9.00
Robert White, Labor	5.25
Jimmie Marden, Labor	6.00
Edward Moran, Labor	6.75
Edward Brown, Labor	6.00
Estabrook's Garage, Welding on Plow & Labor	17.00
Total	\$6,139.16

Class V Road Work

Herman Kenniston, Foreman	\$283.40
Lloyd Stevens, Power Saw	112.70

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Raymond E. Estabrook, Truck	84.60
Chester Bearce, Equipment & Labor	417.80
George Phinney, Truck	236.00
Edward G. Hatch, Labor	63.04
Charles H. Hoyt, Labor	89.62
Clarence B. Green, Labor	19.92
William Wojmar, Labor	26.56
Dale Lewis, Labor	19.92
Ned Nichols, Labor	19.92
David Huard, Labor	13.28
Robert McGonagle, Labor	13.28

Spent to Date		\$1,400.04
State Share 1963-1964	\$1,765.16	
Town Share 1963-1964	264.77	
Balance from 1962-1963	843.06	
Total to Spend	\$2,872.99	
Balance for Spring 1964		\$1,472.95

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND E. ESTABROOK,

Highway Agent.

**REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H.
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1963**

Date of Creation	Purpose of Creation and Cemetery	Amount Prin.	Bal. Inc. on Hand at beg'g. Year	Inc. Dur. Year	Exp. During Year	Bal. Inc. on Hand end of Yr.
1903	Sarah M. Carter — Union	\$100.00	\$20.49	\$4.84	—	\$25.33
1910	Orrin Fogg, Rachel Fogg — Highland	100.00	32.00	5.32	\$4.00	33.32
1913	Albert Lewis, Mrs. A. Lewis — Highland	100.00	41.13	5.68	5.00	41.81
1914	Johanna Dalton — Will for the Worthy Poor of Newton Junction	1,000.00	275.93	51.52	—	327.45
1915	Richard Hamor, Annie Dalton — Highland	100.00	12.54	4.52	3.00	14.06
1916	Geo. F. Battles, Mrs. Battles — Highland	100.00	13.98	4.58	3.00	15.56
1916	Fanny Blore — Town	100.00	10.23	4.44	3.00	11.67
1919	James C. Bartlett, Lizzie Moers — Highland	100.00	16.63	4.68	4.00	17.31
1919	Levi Wilson — Town	100.00	51.30	6.10	3.00	54.40
1920	Hannah C. Moulton, 1st Christian Church — Highland	100.00	38.87	5.58	5.00	39.45
1921	M. E. Hoitt — Town	100.00	48.48	5.98	3.00	51.46
1921	Axtell Fund — Mrs. Z. E. Axtell — Purchase Books for Gale Library	500.00	20.20	21.00	—	41.20
1921	Geo. W. Marston, Mary Marston — Highland	100.00	38.55	5.58	5.00	39.13
1921	Nathan Gould, Mary Marston — Highland	100.00	18.57	4.76	4.00	19.33
1921	Samuel Gould, Mary Marston — Town	100.00	47.57	5.94	3.00	50.51
1922	John R. Harvey — Highland	100.00	10.40	4.44	3.00	11.84
1922	Bates, Peck, Etta Peck Bates — Highland	100.00	8.86	4.38	3.00	10.24
1923	T. W. Bagley, daughter — Highland	100.00	7.59	4.32	3.00	8.91
1924	Charles Shaw — Highland	100.00	17.98	4.74	4.00	18.72
1924	Shaw, Charles Shaw — Willow Grove	100.00	31.43	5.30	4.00	32.73
1924	Julia Cilley, Josie Leavitt — Highland	100.00	14.77	4.62	3.00	16.39
1924	J. E. Haynes — Highland	100.00	8.97	4.38	3.00	10.35
1926	Henry Story — Town	100.00	11.59	4.48	3.00	13.07
1927	A. P. Brewer, E. Brewer — Highland	100.00	10.83	4.46	3.00	12.29
1928	B. F. Wakefield — Highland	100.00	8.34	4.36	3.00	9.70

1930	I. M. Heath — Highland	100.00	8.60	4.36	3.00	9.96
1930	D. F. Battles, Etta Battles — Highland	100.00	8.05	4.36	3.00	9.41
1931	Joseph Hoitt, Edward Hoitt — Town	100.00	8.98	4.38	3.00	10.36
1931	Mary J. Estes — Highland	100.00	14.85	4.62	3.00	16.47
1934	Joseph C. Badger, Will Badger — Highland	100.00	11.67	4.48	3.00	13.15
1934	Etta Sawyer, Improvement and Development of Highland Cemetery	1,000.00	243.50	50.22	25.00	268.72
1934	A. J. and F. E. Sawyer, Etta Sawyer — Highland	200.00	85.42	11.52	5.00	91.94
1934	Al Boswell, Carrie A. Boswell — Repair or improvement of Newton Town Hall	1,000.00	516.93	61.26	—	578.19
1936	Samuel Hayford, Mrs. John G. Rowe — Highland	100.00	10.26	4.44	3.00	11.70
1937	Hannah Carter Flanders, L. O. Twombly — Town	100.00	7.44	4.32	3.00	8.76
1937	Sarah F. Carter — Highland	100.00	8.94	4.38	3.00	10.32
1937	Everett and Ezra George, Mrs. Everett George and Mrs. Fred George — Willow Grove	230.00	34.96	10.68	5.00	40.64
1937	Charles Crosby, Mary J. Crosby — Willow Grove	100.00	8.25	4.36	3.00	9.61
1937	W. Dunn, Mrs. Arnold Ingalls and Mrs. F. E. Leavitt — Highland	100.00	9.52	4.40	3.00	10.92
1937	Charles Fowler — Highland	100.00	7.61	4.32	3.00	8.93
1937	Abel Fowler, Charles Fowler — Highland	100.00	7.79	4.32	3.00	9.11
1937	Wentworth, Fred E. Wentworth — Highland	100.00	9.64	4.40	3.00	11.04
1937	Arthur Wilder, Clara E. Wilder — Highland	100.00	9.30	4.40	3.00	10.70
1937	Chas. A. Boswell, Carrie A. Boswell — Highland	100.00	10.58	4.44	3.00	12.02
1938	Magoon, Al Magoon — Highland	100.00	10.29	4.44	3.00	11.73
1938	Frank H. Ball, Lydia Dugdale — Highland	100.00	18.89	4.78	4.00	19.67
1938	John A. Gale — Repairs and Improvement Gale Library	1,000.00	128.58	45.58	—	174.16
1938	Nathaniel Lovering — Repairs and Improvement Gale Library	350.00	44.95	15.92	—	60.87
1938	Willow Grove Cemetery — Improvement for Willow Grove Cemetery	553.50	104.60	26.58	35.00	96.18
1940	A. Sargent — Children of Alvah and Mary Sargent — Highland	200.00	21.59	8.94	10.00	20.53

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1940	Patrick Carey, James Carey — Highland	100.00	8.43	4.36	3.00	9.79
1940	Harland Chase — Old Chase Burial Lot	200.00	35.18	9.48	—	44.66
1941	Walter H. Gould, Abbie L. Gould — Highland	100.00	9.23	4.40	3.00	10.63
1944	George L. Cheney — Union	100.00	20.48	4.84	—	25.32
1944	William Kimball, Jessie George — Highland	100.00	8.50	4.36	3.00	9.86
1945	G. Wilbert Marston, Adeline Marston — Highland	150.00	22.16	6.94	5.00	24.10
1946	John N. Rowell, Mrs. Jessie Marston, Flora Noyes and Lizzie Quimby — Highland	100.00	7.93	4.34	3.00	9.27
1947	William Durant, Family — Highland	100.00	7.61	4.32	3.00	8.93
1947	Hill, Garland, Mrs. Doris Hill — Highland	100.00	11.23	4.48	3.00	12.71
1948	Albert P. Hoyt, Raymond and Stanley Hoyt and Mrs. Florence Kelly — Highland	100.00	7.83	4.32	3.00	9.15
1948	Albert W. Hoyt, Raymond and Stanley Hoyt and Mrs. Florence Kelly — Highland	100.00	8.00	4.36	3.00	9.36
1948	Patrick O'Neil, Susie M. Hall — Highland	100.00	7.86	4.34	3.00	9.20
1948	Nathaniel Day, Minnie, Mary and Nathaniel Day — Highland	100.00	7.70	4.32	3.00	9.02
1949	Geo. H. Battles, Anna Battles — Willow Grove	100.00	19.72	4.82	4.00	20.54
1950	Horace Favor, Edgar and Merton Rowe — Highland	100.00	7.40	4.32	3.00	8.72
1950	Cyrus Trull, Wm. and Jennie Milvin — Highland	100.00	7.41	4.32	3.00	8.73
1950	C. Herbert Spaulding, Georgie Spaulding — Willow Grove	100.00	7.43	4.32	3.00	8.75
1951	Charles Bly — Highland	200.00	30.19	9.28	5.00	34.47
1952	A. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton — Highland	150.00	21.20	6.90	3.00	25.10
1953	Moses Marden, Milton Marden — Highland	100.00	33.14	5.36	3.00	35.50
1953	Timothy Hanley — Willow Grove	100.00	10.34	4.44	3.00	11.78
1953	Robert Middleton, Etta Middleton — Willow Grove	150.00	24.60	7.04	3.00	28.64
1953	John A. Chase, Anne Chase — Highland	100.00	7.40	4.32	3.00	8.72
1954	Jonathan Gale, Harris Fund — Highland	500.00	101.63	24.28	5.00	120.91
1954	W. K. Davis, Pearl R. Willis — Willow Grove	100.00	15.30	4.64	3.00	16.94
1954	John G. Rowe, Edgar and Merton Rowe — Highland	100.00	7.94	4.34	3.00	9.28

1954	Greenleaf George, Bertha G. Schmidt — Willow Grove	100.00	7.94	4.34	3.00	9.28
1954	Carl Shaw — Willow Grove	100.00	24.77	5.02	3.00	26.79
1955	Robert S. Prescott, Robert Prescott and Emma Prescott — Highland	60.00	8.57	2.74	3.00	8.31
1955	Henry S. Patterson — Willow Grove	150.00	20.02	6.86	3.00	23.88
1955	Elizabeth M. Hastings — Willow Grove	100.00	8.80	4.36	3.00	10.16
1955	Ernest Keeling — Willow Grove	200.00	32.15	9.36	3.00	38.51
1955	William R. Davenport, Lilla M. Fernald — Willow Grove	100.00	7.21	4.32	3.00	8.53
1955	Clarence H. Hart — Willow Grove	60.00	8.17	2.74	3.00	7.91
1955	Ella S. LaRouche — Willow Grove	60.00	5.71	2.64	2.00	6.35
1956	Hayden E. Cheney, Freda Cheney — Willow Grove	150.00	22.07	6.94	3.00	26.01
1956	Marcus W. Bruce, Esther M. Payne — Highland	100.00	8.97	4.38	3.00	10.35
1956	Archie J. Roy, Esther M. Payne — Highland	100.00	8.97	4.38	3.00	10.35
1956	Grover Peaslee — Willow Grove	25.00	1.89	1.06	—	2.95
1956	George M. Robinson, Martha Robinson — Willow Grove	100.00	10.59	4.44	3.00	12.03
1956	Boswell-Lane, Lula W. Boswell — Highland	300.00	43.87	13.86	5.00	52.73
1957	Edward Hayford, Harry E. Moore — Highland ..	100.00	7.95	4.34	3.00	9.29
1957	William W. Wilder, Alice Wilder — Highland ...	100.00	3.80	4.36	3.00	10.16
1957	Carl R. Brown, Ada Brown — Highland	60.00	4.24	2.58	3.00	3.82
1957	Roy Beale — Willow Grove	60.00	5.91	2.64	2.00	6.55
1957	Fred Judson, Bernice Judson — Highland	150.00	17.62	6.74	5.00	19.36
1958	Everett E. Coombs — Willow Grove	60.00	5.42	2.62	2.00	6.04
1958	Joseph M. Toste, Mary E. — Highland	100.00	9.69	4.40	4.00	10.09
1958	Highland Cemetery	180.00	24.22	9.80	—	34.02
1958	Bodwell Welch, Virginia G. Clark — Highland ...	150.00	15.18	6.66	5.00	16.84
1958	Walter B. Kershaw, Elizabeth — Highland	60.00	4.71	2.58	2.00	5.29
1958	Everett O. Kelly, Florence H. — Highland	100.00	17.40	4.72	—	22.12
1959	William Goodwin, Harold Goodwin — Highland ..	150.00	12.61	6.54	4.00	15.15
1959	William Bagley, Bart Keefe — Highland	100.00	8.08	4.36	3.00	9.44
1959	Elizabeth Bartlett, I. W. Walker — Highland	150.00	12.61	6.54	4.00	15.15

1959	Adolph Taylor Gevena and daughter Charlotte — Highland	120.00	10.93	5.26	3.00	13.19
1959	Michael J. and Mariam Sullivan — Willow Grove	90.00	8.12	3.96	3.00	9.08
1959	Ruth J. Morgan — Frank C. Morgan — Highland	100.00	7.08	4.32	3.00	8.40
1959	Jerome & Ruth Boyd — Highland	60.00	3.45	2.54	2.00	3.99
1959	Ed Bartlett, Alma F. George — Highland	100.00	6.48	4.28	3.00	7.76
1959	Ball — Woodman, Emma Prescott — Highland	100.00	6.48	4.28	3.00	7.76
1959	E. E. George, Alma F. George — Willow Grove ..	100.00	6.48	4.28	3.00	7.76
1959	Winfred and Emma A. Snow — Highland	100.00	6.06	4.28	3.00	7.34
1960	John E. Hayford, Brothers and Sisters of Mary S. Hayford	200.00	12.56	8.56	5.00	16.12
1960	Jonathan Sargent Lot — Children of Alvah W. and Mary W. Sargent — Town	100.00	6.32	4.28	3.00	7.60
1960	Frank C. Morgan — Highland	120.00	6.05	5.08	3.00	8.13
1960	Charles W. Harris, Grace E. — Highland	60.00	2.72	2.50	2.00	3.22
1961	Samuel M. King, Helen E. — Willow Grove	90.00	3.82	3.76	2.00	5.58
1961	Charles Wentworth, Vesta — Willow Grove	100.00	4.12	4.20	3.00	5.32
1961	Barrs and Ham, Hazel Barrs and Bertha Ham — Willow Grove	100.00	4.12	4.20	3.00	5.32
1961	Leon L. George, Esther George — Highland	100.00	5.41	4.24	3.00	6.65
1961	Melvin Beede, Roland and Marion Perrault — Highland	100.00	5.41	4.24	3.00	6.65
1961	Hazen H. Martin — Highland	60.00	3.03	2.54	3.00	2.57
1961	Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brazeau and Eldora Hill, Homer Brazeau — Highland	100.00	4.72	4.20	3.00	5.92
1961	Edwin W. Goodwin, Julia M. — Willow Grove	60.00	2.83	2.52	2.00	3.35
1961	G. E. Elwell, Frances K. — Willow Grove	100.00	4.37	4.20	3.00	5.57
1961	James L. Kimball, Sidney F. Kimball — Highland ..	150.00	6.06	6.30	3.00	9.36
1961	Chas. E. Wormwood, Sidney F. Kimball — Highland	150.00	6.06	6.30	3.00	9.36
1962	Thomas W. Locke, Maude A. Locke — Highland ..	60.00	1.40	2.46	2.00	1.86
1963	Frank E. Blair — Highland	60.00	—	1.40	—	1.40
1963	Roland and Ida Currier — Highland	60.00	—	1.20	—	1.20
1963	William C. Beale — Willow Grove	30.00	—	—	—	—
1963	Lottie Walton — Highland	60.00	—	—	—	—
		\$19,328.50	\$3,132.48	\$896.84	\$440.00	\$3,589.32

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

Total Number of Funds —	133	
Total Amount of Principal		\$19,328.50
Balance Income December 31, 1962		3,132.48
Income for 1963		896.84
Expenses for 1963		440.00
Balance Income December 31, 1963		3,589.32

Disbursements

Paid Trustees of Cemeteries		\$440.00
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Respectfully submitted,

OTIS R. ROWELL

MARJORIE L. BRIGGS

FRED H. CUST

Trustees of Trust Funds,

Newton, N. H.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Newton, N. H., January 22, 1964

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Road Agent, and Treasurer of the Gale Library Trustees and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

EVERETT O. KELLY

ROBERT M. ROWE

Auditors

Newton, N. H., January 22, 1964

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of said town, together with a detailed statement thereof, and the particular trust to which they belong, with a statement of the receipts and expenditures with proper vouchers as required by Section 3, Chapter 162, of the Laws of 1915, and the amendments thereof.

We find the Trustees of the Trust Funds properly bonded.

EVERETT O. KELLY

ROBERT M. ROWE

Auditors

REPORT OF THE GALE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Two events during the past year will, we believe, prove to be of great significance to the library throughout the future years.

The trustees were honored to accept on April 24th, during the observance of National Library Week, a gift of a contract from the M M Club for the renovation of the storage room into a reading room. The room will be known as the Mary A. S. Hayford Memorial Room, honoring Mrs. Hayford who was the founder of the club and a trustee of the library for many years.

A table and chairs given by her family several years ago as memorial gifts will be placed in the room.

We anticipate that students particularly will appreciate its use when a quiet spot is necessary for study and reference searching. We are greatly indebted to the club.

The formation of a Friends of the Library group this year, also during National Library Week, is a credit to those who have taken the interest of the library to heart. Concerted effort of the several chairmen in different areas of development, with their assistants, has already shown its impact by making townspeople more library-minded.

Special book displays, art displays by students and adults each week, book service to those unable to come to the library, and entertainment for children through film use and story-telling, as well as assistance given the librarian, are the medium through which the results have been achieved. The membership committee is actively engaged in securing enrollments to further insure the success of the group in making the library the cultural center of the town.

We hope the residents will appreciate what is being

done for them and will make it known by increased patronage of the library. Why spend family funds for book purchases when they are obtainable at the library just for coming?

Another feature of National Library Week was Children's Day. Films were shown and awards made to elementary school children for their prize-winning book-jacket drawings. Grade 3 won a special award as a unit for their entries. Refreshments were served daily by the trustees.

"Read — The Fifth Freedom — Enjoy It," the theme for the year, is worthy of deep consideration, for a nation is only as strong as its citizens, and how can we become and remain strong if we fail to qualify ourselves?

The librarian and trustees have continued their attendance at the area meetings of librarians and trustees to obtain benefits of the Shieling funds, available to those who have been selected to participate. The meetings have proved to be most inspiring and beneficial, particularly when one takes into consideration how much more can be obtained from funds spent.

We feel the day is fast approaching when the heating system at the library will have to be changed. Investigations will be made into various types of equipment before a definite decision is made.

Again we say "Thank You" to the Kingston-Newton Garden Club for their continued practice of providing floral arrangements at the library while flowers are in bloom; also to book and magazine donors.

We are indebted to the State Library officials for their interest in, and work for, the small libraries, such as ours, and particularly to Mrs. Rachel Sanborn, Bookmobile librarian in charge of the Exeter branch of the State Library. She is an inspiration to all of us.

Open house is planned for the Memorial Room dedication. We are looking forward to having each and all of you visit with us, witness the improvements and make use

of the benefits available to you. YOUR money helps to buy the books and pay for the services, you know.

HAZEL M. OWEN
ELLEN L. PELLETIER
ELLA M. YATES

Trustees.

GALE LIBRARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT

January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963

Librarians' Salary		\$367.00
A. Marian Hatch	\$337.00	
Ella M. Yates	30.00	
Purchases		343.79
Books	271.42	
Magazine Renewals	72.37	
Library Repairs		133.08
David H. Beebe, Labor and Materials	115.98	
A. F. Ingalls, Labor	3.00	
Edward Hatch, Labor	3.00	
Cheney's General Store, Material	11.10	
Library Supplies		65.33
Gaylord Bros., Inc.	41.65	
Cheney's General Store	1.61	
National Library Week	14.17	
Postage, Small Supplies	7.90	
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.		56.18
Janitor Services		59.00
Edward G. Hatch		
Merrimack Valley National Bank — Service Charges		5.68
		\$1,030.06
Total Receipts	\$1,116.63	
Payments	1,030.06	
On Hand		\$86.57

Jan. 1, 1964

Check Book Balance	\$86.57
Outstanding Checks — Nos. 368, 381	269.74

Balance, per Bank Statement	\$356.31
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Respectfully submitted,

ELLA M. YATES, Treasurer, Gale Library

Gale Library Report

Number of Books added:

Adult Fiction	146
Adult Non-Fiction	72
Juvenile Fiction	76
Juvenile Non-Fiction	35

Total	329
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By Purchase	247
By Gift	82

Total	329
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Number of Books loaned:

Adult Fiction	2,378
Adult Non-Fiction	1,134
Juvenile Fiction	3,460
Juvenile Non-Fiction	796

Total	7,768
Card Holders	368

Respectfully submitted,

A. MARIAN HATCH

Librarian

POLICE CHIEF'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen
Newton, N. H.

Gentlemen:

The official report of the Police Department indicates a busy year for 1963. The various crimes committed this past year, in town, included numerable breaks. This offence against the law includes stealing, looting and destroying properties. Local police, State Police, and the Sheriffs Department of N. H. have worked diligently and tirelessly for the arrest of these criminals. The retardation of this crime in our town and throughout the State and County would start with prevention. The criminals of today were the children of yesterday. The children of today could be the criminals of tomorrow. Children should be taught at an early age to respect police officials and to consider them as friends, and to know that policemen work hand in hand with the schools and churches to constitute stately future citizens.

The sex maniac and murderer is the most treacherous criminal today. Newspaper reports and news broadcasts familiarize us with the horrors of these crimes. Be extremely cautious. Report any suspicious persons or acts to your local police at once. We would rather spend the time investigating any reports than to face a crime such as these committed in our town on our children. Caution your children not to ride with or talk to strangers. Restrain them after dark.

Parents are careful who they ask to sit with their children. They choose persons with distinctive, essential qualities. Baby-sitters and their parents should, in turn, be as cautious. They should insist strongly on seemingly trivial

details; adequate transportation to and from the sitter's home, telephone or other means to signal for help should be available, parents should know what time to expect the sitter home. A good plan is for the sitter and her parents to list these and other precautions and adopt a customary, habitual routine, when accepting a job of baby-sitting.

Once again, I wish to thank the church groups, Boy Scouts, and other groups who find the time and effort to help provide entertainment and recreation for our young, growing citizens.

Work of the Department

Accidents	60 hours	156 miles
Assistance given neighboring towns and State Police	31½ hours	117 miles
Breaking and Entering	114 hours	121 miles
Road Patrol	215 hours	1,094 miles
(Includes late night patrols, designed to stop breaking and entering, plus drives on speeding.)		
Complaints	193 hours	490 miles
(Includes domestic troubles, pranksters, suspicious persons, salesmen calling door to door.)		
Messages Delivered	13 hours	34 miles
Plus: A special allowance of \$254.16 per order of		
Selectmen	162 hours	429 miles

During the period from December 4th to 14th, there was an all-out effort to break up gangs, breaking and entering in the night-time by State, Newton, and other town Police Departments. This was a success by apprehension of four subjects being charged with 15 counts of breaking and entering in this county.

Budget of the Newton Police Department

For the Year 1963

Richard S. Hanson	\$421.72
Lucien Cloutier	196.50

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Roland Estabrook	227.20
Clifford Chapman	104.50
Frank Sirrell	127.69
Russell Estabrook	36.45
Joseph Chabot	3.75
Lloyd Currier, Radio Repairs	29.95
Telephone and Toll Calls	62.90
David Horning	28.13
Robert Lightizer	5.00
Charles Harriman	43.75
Nathaniel Sawyer	17.50
Paul Morse	20.50
Blackington, Supplies	18.75
Bilodeau Bloodhounds	10.00

Total	\$1,354.24
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Minus: Special Appropriation approved by Selectmen	254.16
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Total Expended	\$1,100.08
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Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD S. HANSON

Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER

Total dogs picked up — kept for 7 days	26
Dogs destroyed	14
Dogs given away	12

Unpaid Dog Taxes:

Arthur Poole
Dewey Bowley
Forrest Currier (2 yrs.)
Raymond Nicol
Regnar Nilsson (2 yrs.)
Ovid Eugene Smith (2 yrs.)

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL MORSE,
Dog Constable.

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

Contagious Diseases Reported:

- 27 Cases of Chicken Pox
- 4 Cases of Measles

Calls Made by Health Officer:

- 12 — Whittier St.
- 7 — Main St., Newton Jct.
- 4 — Smith Cor.
- 25 — 108
- 2 — Dump Rd.
- 1 — Bear Hill
- 2 — Amesbury Rd.
- 2 — Chase Rd.
- 13 — Pond St.
- 5 — Marcoux Grove
- 2 — Wilder's Grove
- 4 — Maple Ave.
- 14 — Hadley Rd.
- 10 — Highland St.

103 Calls @ \$.75	\$77.25
6 Phone Calls	8.40
7½ hrs. lost from work	8.37
Total	\$94.02

Three parties were made to clean up rubbish which they had dumped beside the road.

Respectfully submitted,

LLOYD S. MacDONALD,
Health Officer.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES' REPORT

Appropriation		\$600.00
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Expenditures:

Gary Standing, Labor	\$193.00	
Charles Lawless, Labor	22.50	
Granville Emery, Labor	56.13	
Brian Williams, Labor	12.51	
Robert Williams, Labor	13.13	
Robert Morse, Sr., Labor	16.00	
Robert Morse, Jr., Labor	11.25	
Thomas Smith, Labor	12.50	
Gary Field, Labor	12.50	
James E. Goss, Labor	17.50	
Kenneth Lamb, Labor	3.00	
Harry Newton	6.00	
Milton Jameson, Labor	11.25	
Lincoln Hayes, Labor	22.50	
Everett O. Kelly, Labor	30.75	
Norman Faxon, Carpenter	15.00	
Eastern Lumber Co., Inc., Lumber for Well	5.61	
Cheney's General Store, Seed & Clippers	13.67	
Joseph Hoyt, Man & Truck	84.75	
Estabrook's Garage, Gas & Oil	6.33	
Wengel Lawn Mower Service, Re- pairs	32.99	
Total		\$598.87
Unexpended Balance		\$1.13

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT O. KELLY
HARRY B. MERRIFIELD
HORACE R. WILLIAMS

Cemetery Trustees

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT

January 1, 1963 — December 31, 1963

Total Number of Calls	87
Number of Building Fires	7
Brush and Grass Fires	30
Oil Burner and Chimney Fires	6
Miscellaneous	8
Dump Fires	26
Out of Town Calls	6
Resuscitator	4

Number of Calls Answered by Each Truck:

Engine No. 1 —	22
Engine No. 2 —	42
Engine No. 3 —	48
Engine No. 4 —	55
Engine No. 5 —	15

Value of Property Damaged by Fire	\$59,100.00
Amount of Damage to Property	\$8,260.00
Losses Not Covered by Insurance	\$2,100.00
Number of Hours Spent at Fires	91½

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND E. ESTABROOK

Fire Chief

Annual Report
OF THE
School Board
OF THE
Town of Newton, New Hampshire

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEWTON

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Barbara Morse (Mrs.), Chairman	Term Expires 1964
John F. Swasey, Jr.	Term Expires 1965
Gordon A. Cheney	Term Expires 1966

Other Officers

Clifford Bryer (elected annually)	Moderator
Lorraine Lukas (elected annually)	District Clerk
Otis R. Rowell (elected annually)	District Treasurer
Everett E. Coombs (elected annually)	District Auditor
Everett O. Kelly (elected annually)	District Auditor
Dorothy Rowell (appointed)	Census Taker
Paul Morse (appointed)	Truant Officer
Wendell V. Davis	Superintendent of Schools

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March, 1964, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subject:

1. To choose all necessary School District Officers for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands at said Newton this twenty-fifth day of February, 1964.

BARBARA R. MORSE

JOHN F. SWASEY, JR.

GORDON A. CHENEY

School Board

The polls will be open to vote for district officers from 10:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1964 at eight o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

2. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

3. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

4. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, local or private agencies.

5. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to convey the School District's interest in the Rowe's Corner land and school to the Town of Newton.

6. To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newton this twenty-fifth day of February, 1964.

BARBARA R. MORSE

JOHN F. SWASEY, JR.

GORDON A. CHENEY

School Board

Records of the Annual School Meeting of the School District of the Town of Newton, March 21, 1963

The meeting was opened at 8:00 p.m. by the Moderator, Clifford R. Bryer.

Article 1. The following officers were elected jointly with the town elections by Australian Ballot. Elected were Moderator, Clifford R. Bryer; Clerk, Mrs. Lorraine Lukas; Treasurer, Otis R. Rowell; School Board Member for Three Years, Gordon A. Cheney; Auditors, Everett O. Kelly and Everett E. Coombs. There were 545 Ballots cast.

Article 2. "To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees or Officers chosen and pass any vote relative thereto." On motion by Mrs. Ellen Bean for the School Board, the reports were accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 3. "To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees or Officers chosen and pass any vote relative thereto." On motion by Mrs. Bean, this Article was accepted as printed in the Warrant.

Article 4. "To see if the District will vote to construct and equip an addition to the Memorial School, to authorize the School Board to execute any and all contracts or agreements necessary and proper or advisable in connection with the construction and equipping of such an addition and authorize the School Board to issue bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$140,000.00) for the purpose of financing such construction." A Ballot vote was called for by the Moderator, Mr. Bryer, with a favorable result — 159 Yes votes; 42 No votes.

Article 5. On motion by Ellen Bean, "to see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate Two Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$2,625.00) for first interest payment," be accepted as printed in the School Report. This was passed.

Article 6. It was voted favorably for the District to raise and appropriate Four Hundred Seventy-eight Dollars (\$478.00) to operate the addition to the Memorial School.

Article 7. On motion made by William Moisan, Jr., to transfer the unexpended Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$2,300.00) from the School Building Committee, appropriated the previous year was the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) for survey purposes, to cover a deficiency incurred during the current school year; such sum to be paid to the District Treasurer prior to June 30, 1963. William Hart made a motion that an additional sum, not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) be raised by the method mentioned in Article 7. Both motions were carried.

Article 8. Ellen Bean made a motion that the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Forty Dollars (\$1,140.00) as Newton's share of the cost of a professional survey of secondary school needs be accepted as printed in the Town Report. Wallace Nyberg, for the secondary school committee appointed the previous year, gave a report on the urgent need for such a survey. Plaistow and Kingston had voted in favor of this survey and it was up to Newton and Atkinson to see if they would participate in such a program. The Moderator called for a hand vote. The result: Yes, 93; No, 28.

Article 9. Further business to legally come before the meeting — Wallace Nyberg made a motion that the Study Committee on Secondary Education be extended for one more year to work with the School Board on our high school needs. The Moderator to appoint replacement members to any vacancy. Mrs. Edna Boyd wished to be replaced. The Moderator appointed the same committee as last year with George Baker as her replacement. This motion was passed.

A standing vote of thanks was given to the School Survey Committee. Mrs. Janice Lynn made a motion that future School District meetings be held on a Saturday evening to enable more people to attend. An affirmative vote showed that this was favorable, but would have to be put in the form of an Article in the next Warrant.

It was voted to adjourn at 9:20.

LORRAINE M. LUKAS

School District Clerk

A true copy, Attest:

Lorraine M. Lukas

MINUTES OF SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
Town of Newton, N. H.

SEPTEMBER 19, 1963

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Clifford Bryer at 8:09 p.m.

School Board Chairman Barbara Morse moved the adoption of Article 1. as printed in the Warrant which was seconded. A request from the floor for a reading of the letter from the Trustees of Sanborn Seminary dated July 22, 1963 was honored by School Board Member John Swasey. Moderator Bryer read excerpts from the State Law regarding the formation of Cooperative School Districts. After some further discussion the motion was put to voice vote resulting in approximately 95% yes and 5% no.

School Board Chairman Barbara Morse moved the adoption of Article 2. as printed in the Warrant which was seconded. After very little discussion the motion was put to voice vote which was in the affirmative. Committee Member George Baker resigned and William Baker was appointed in his place.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, a motion to adjourn was carried at approximately 9:45 p.m.

GORDON A. CHENEY,
Clerk, Pro. Tem.

Committee Appointed by Moderator under Article 1:

Gordon A. Cheney, School Board Member
Christopher Sherrill
Kenneth F. Briggs

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1962 to June 30, 1963

SUMMARY

Cash on hand July 1, 1962 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$2,912.04
Received from Selectmen	
Current Appropriation	\$92,104.98
Deficit Appropriation	200.00
Received from State Sources	18,685.23
Received from Federal Sources	3,474.10
Received from All Other Sources	275.99
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$114,740.30
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	
(Balance and Receipts)	117,652.34
Less School Board Orders Paid	115,803.73
Balance on hand June 30, 1963 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$1,848.61
July 8, 1963	OTIS R. ROWELL, District Treasurer

Auditors' Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newton of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 and find them correct in all respects.

July 11, 1963

EVERETT O. KELLY

EVERETT E. COOMBS, Auditors

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Date	From Whom	Description	Amount
1962			
July 10	State Treasurer	Aid for Inst. of Ret. Children	\$350.96
July 16	Selectmen	Town	3,500.00
July 18	State Treasurer	Federal Lunch	81.42
July 24	Merr. Valley Nat'l. Bank	Semi-annual div.	5.00

DETAILED STATEMENT — (Continued)

Sept. 4	Selectmen	Town	5,000.00
Sept. 24	Alice G. Knowles	Sale of Desk	5.00
Sept. 24	State Treasurer	Foundation Aid -	
		State Aid	17,434.27
Sept. 25	Jack Williams	Sale of School	
		Property	5.00
Sept. 25	Joseph Hills Agency	Inc. Div. Credit	19.60
Sept. 25	Joseph Hills Agency	Inc. Div. Credit	23.23
Oct. 3	Selectmen	Town	15,000.00
Nov. 1	U. S. Treasurer	Federal Aid -	
		Public Law 874	534.00
Nov. 2	Newton P.T.A.	Donation TV	97.44
Nov. 10	State Treasurer	Federal Aid	108.66
Nov. 20	Selectmen	Town	15,000.00
Dec. 1	U. S. Treasurer	Federal Aid	162.63
Dec. 4	Selectmen	Town	15,000.00
Dec. 18	State Treasurer	State Aid	847.35
1963			
Jan. 10	State Treasurer	State Aid	132.21
Jan. 21	Merr. Valley Nat'l. Bank	Semi-annual div.	5.00
Jan. 22	Selectmen	Town	5,000.00
Feb. 5	Selectmen	Town	5,000.00
Feb. 8	State Treasurer	Federal Aid	110.25
Mar. 5	Selectmen	Town	5,000.00
Mar. 11	State Treasurer	Federal Aid -	
		N.D.E.A.	97.43
Mar. 20	School Clerk	Filing Fees	5.00
Mar. 21	State Treasurer	Federal Aid	164.25
Apr. 1	State Treasurer	Federal Lunch	114.66
Apr. 2	Selectmen	Town	12,000.00
Apr. 22	State Treasurer	Federal Lunch	152.64
May 9	Selectmen	Town	5,000.00
May 16	U. S. Treasurer	Federal Aid -	
		Public Law 874	1,535.00
May 20	State Treasurer	State Aid - Bldgs.	52.65
May 24	State Treasurer	Federal Lunch	123.90
June 3	Selectmen	Town	6,295.22
June 3	U. S. Treasurer	Refund - High	
		School Tuition	109.12
June 14	First Baptist Church	Sale of Property	1.00
June 25	State Treasurer	Federal Lunch	157.05
June 27	Selectmen	Town	309.76
June 28	Sanborn Seminary	Tuition Refund	.60
June 28	Selectmen	Town	200.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING YEAR \$114,740.30

FINANCIAL REPORT

of the Newton School District for the Fiscal Year
Beginning July 1, 1962 and Ending June 30, 1963

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

WENDELL V. DAVIS
Superintendent

BARBARA R. MORSE
JOHN F. SWASEY, JR.
GORDON A. CHENEY

July 8, 1963

School Board

RECEIPTS

REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES

Current Appropriation	\$ 92,104.98	
Deficit Appropriation	200.00	
		\$ 92,304.98
Other Revenue from Local Sources	\$ 15.00	
		\$ 15.00

REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES

Foundation Aid	\$ 17,434.27	
School Building Aid	900.00	
Intellectually Retarded	350.96	
		\$ 18,685.23

REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES

National Defense Education Act —		
Title III	\$ 97.43	
School Lunch and Special Milk Program	1,307.67	
Public Law 874	2,069.00	
		\$ 3,474.10
Sale of Real Property	\$ 11.00	
		\$ 11.00

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		<u>\$114,490.31</u>
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CASH ON HAND AT BEGINNING OF YEAR,

July 1, 1962

General Fund \$ 2,912.04

\$ 2,912.04

GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS

\$117,402.35

BALANCE SHEET — JUNE 30, 1963

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1963 \$ 1,848.61

TOTAL ASSETS \$ 1,848.61Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets) 22,151.39GRAND TOTAL \$ 24,000.00

Liabilities

Notes and Bonds Outstanding \$ 24,000.00TOTAL LIABILITIES \$ 24,000.00Surplus (Excess of Assets Over Liabilities) 0GRAND TOTAL \$ 24,000.00

STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Name of Building or Project for which Notes or Bonds were Issued	Memorial	Total
Outstanding at Beginning of Year	\$27,000.00	\$27,000.00
Issued During Year	0	0
Total	\$27,000.00	\$27,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	3,000.00	3,000.00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year	\$24,000.00	\$24,000.00

DETAIL OF ADMINISTRATIVE SALARIES 1963-1964

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 55

Town	Share of Superintendent's Salary	Share of Teacher Consultant's Salary
Atkinson	\$ 655.50	\$ 418.00
Hampstead	681.38	434.50
Newton	560.62	357.50
Plaistow	1,293.75	825.00
Salem	5,433.75	3,465.00
State of New Hampshire	2,500.00	2,500.00
Total Salaries	\$11,125.00	\$8,000.00

DETAILED EXPENDITURES**1962 - 1963****ADMINISTRATION****Salaries of Administration**

Ellen Bean, School Board Chairman	\$125.00
Barbara Morse, School Board Member	100.00
John F. Swasey, Jr., School Board Member	100.00
Clifford Bryer, District Moderator	10.00
Lorraine Lukas, District Clerk	10.00
Otis Rowell, District Treasurer	75.00

 \$420.00
Contracted Services

Everett Coombs, auditor	\$10.00
Everett O. Kelly, auditor	10.00
Charles H. Hoyt, supervisor of checklist	10.00
William J. Moisan, Sr., supervisor of checklist	10.00
Otis Rowell, supervisor of checklist	10.00
Dorothy Rowell, census taker	50.00

 \$100.00
Other Expenses — District Officers

American Education Publications, periodical	\$1.50
D. J. Casey Paper Co., Inc., binder & supplies	4.65
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., bookkeeping supplies	22.18
New Hampshire School Boards Assoc., dues	20.00
Dorothy Richards, Postmaster, stamps	3.50
School Board Leadership in America, periodical	4.50
School Management Magazines, Inc., periodicals	12.00
Supervisory Union No. 55, share of expenses, travel, etc.	50.00
The Wood Press, Inc., ballots	12.50

 \$130.83

INSTRUCTION

Salaries

	Net Pay	Gross Pay
Morna Bates	\$2,220.30	\$2,738.00
Mary Bakanosky	3,260.77	4,300.00
Adeline Bowen	3,338.41	4,400.00
Marion Kalashian	3,829.35	5,000.00
Alice G. Knowles	3,326.36	4,600.00
Joan Lester	3,209.44	4,200.00
June O'Neil	3,117.77	4,300.00
Lucien D. St. Cyr	3,118.48	4,276.51
Norma B. Williams	3,066.24	4,200.00
Substitutes		
Grace Allinson		30.00
Louise French		15.00
Charlotte Gilmour		30.00
Norman Krikorian		173.00
Dorothy Sainsbury		212.00
Alice Scott		60.00
Norma B. Williams, home instruction		37.50
		\$38,572.01

Textbooks

Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	\$234.35
Doubleday & Company, Inc.	2.00
The Economics Press	6.00
The Fideler Company	11.84
Follett Publishing Company	126.25
Ginn & Company	3.81
Golden Press, Inc.	4.29
J. L. Hammett Company	9.31
D. C. Heath & Company	100.28
Lyons & Carnahan	14.47
Edward B. Marks Music Corporation	7.00
Row, Peterson & Company	105.09
Scott, Foresman & Company	274.95
Supervisory Union No. 55, books purchased by office	13.40

Wadsworth Publishing Company, Inc.	7.19
WENH-TV	9.50
John D. Whittier	22.15
	\$951.88

School Libraries & Audio-visual Materials

Beckley-Cardy Company, equipment	\$24.01
The Boston Music Company, sheet music	8.96
F. E. Compton & Company, encyclopedia	112.35
Denoyer-Geppert Company, maps	25.17
Encyclopedia Britannica Films, Inc., filmstrips	71.10
Carl Fischer, Inc., music supplies	52.94
Golden Press, Inc.	39.50
Charles W. Homeyer & Company, Inc., music	17.25
Moore-Cottrell Subscription Agencies, Inc., periodical	48.67
National Education Association, bulletins	7.30
A. H. Rice Company, Inc., filmstrips	39.00
	\$446.25

Teaching Supplies

Allyn & Bacon, Inc., workbooks	\$37.24
Bond Tobacco Company, paper supplies	19.24
Bostitch-Northeast, Inc., staples	3.95
D. J. Casey Paper Co., Inc., cards, blotters, etc.	30.60
The Continental Press, pamphlets	19.67
Croft Educational Services	24.00
A. B. Dick Company of N. E., Inc., paper and ink	13.48
Joan C. Dill, testing service	90.65
The Economics Press, subscription	12.00
The Flag Shop, flags	22.60
Follett Publishing Company, workbooks	6.14
J. L. Hammett Company, paper & art supplies	188.84
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc., tests	70.60
N. L. & E. W. Kruysman, Inc., report card envelopes	9.25
Lyons & Carnahan, workbooks	12.05
Milton Bradley Company, paper & school supplies	514.26
Panama-Beaver, duplicating supplies	39.81

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Scholastic Magazines, student periodicals	58.20
Science Research Associates, Inc., math workbooks	9.95
Scott, Foresman & Company, workbooks	201.02
Silver Burdett Company, workbooks	26.48
Standard Duplicator Sales, Inc., duplicating materials	14.10
Standard Education Society, Inc., math aids	16.90
Supervisory Union No. 55, workbooks & pamphlets	33.50
	\$1,474.53

Contracted Services

WENH-TV	\$124.00
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Other Expenses

American Council on Education, subscription	\$4.00
Ellen Bean, P.T.A. calendar	3.00
Campbell & Hall, Inc., reference material	28.36
Arthur C. Croft Publications, planning calendars	7.50
Department of Elementary School Principals, subscription	8.00
Edson C. Eastman Company, Inc., Treasurer's book	22.98
Marion Kalashian, postage, phone & graduation expenses	10.10
Pauline Morse, services as pianist	16.00
The Mount Washington Hotel, conference expense	10.00
New England Reading Association, conference assessment	10.00
New Hampshire Music Educators Assoc., fees	5.00
New Ocean House Corporation, reading conference expenses	38.00
Remrand Systems, record supplies	16.55
State Department of Education, conference expenses	6.00
The Wood Press, Inc., graduation programs	15.50
	\$200.99

ATTENDANCE SERVICES**Salaries**

Paul Morse, Truant Officer	\$50.00
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HEALTH SERVICES

Other Expenses

Bond Tobacco Company, paper supplies	\$28.86
Otis Clapp & Son, Inc., first aid supplies	37.70
F. S. Harris, M.D., health examinations	107.00
J. Hubbard Company, Inc., germicide	8.09

 \$181.65

TRANSPORTATION

Contracted Services

Karl Gardner, Exeter	\$55.50
Lorraine Lukas, Exeter	51.00
Margaret Morse	6,500.00
Paul R. Morse, music festival	20.00

 \$6,626.50

OPERATION OF PLANT

Salaries

Lincoln Hayes	\$69.09
Everett O. Kelly	1,240.80
Harry Paige	1,271.82

 \$2,581.71

Supplies, Except Utilities

William A. Baker, electrical supplies	\$54.89
Cheney's General Store, miscellaneous supplies	26.97
Croft Educational Services, bulletin	7.00
The Flag Shop, flags, rope & holders	36.90
Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supplies, glides	33.75
George T. Johnson Company, cleaning supplies	79.35
Alice Knowles, can of Raid	1.49
Masury Young Company, floor supplies	338.92
Milton Bradley Company, brushes & brooms	47.46
Plaistow Lumber & Supply Company, supplies for repairs	2.22

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Standard Paper Company, Inc., soap, towels, tissue, etc.	38.99
M. D. Stetson Company, cleaning materials	34.85
Suburban Propane Gas Corporation, gas	5.98
Waxine Company, Inc., sweeping compound	30.39
	\$739.16

Contracted Services

Harry A. Bray, rubbish removal	\$14.00
Karl Busch, moving	16.00
	\$30.00

Heat for Buildings

Suburban Propane Gas Corporation	\$335.35
Valley Oil Company	1,224.26
	\$1,559.61

Utilities, Except Heat

Exeter & Hampton Electric Company	\$509.13
New England Tel. & Tel. Company	335.57
Newton Junction Firemen's Association, light service	13.44
Old Kerry Beverages, water	28.00
	\$886.14

MAINTENANCE OF PLANT**Salaries**

Everett O. Kelly	\$93.06
Harry Paige	141.00
	\$234.06

Replacement of Equipment

Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supply Company, glides	\$15.60
Harry S. Vaughn Company, shades	85.00
	\$100.60

Contracted Services

William A. Baker, electrical repairs	\$86.80
B. & C. Heating Company, repairs to heating system	149.97
Ralph M. Bean, plumbing & heating repairs	76.20
R. W. Kelleher & Son, septic tank servicing	50.00
John G. Kimball, plumbing repairs	16.00
C. Henry Lenz, piano tuning	25.00
Merrow's, Inc., lawnmower repairs	5.60
Barbara R. Morse, painting	25.00
Harry E. Paige, maintenance	10.50
Pioneer Office Appliance Company, servicing typewriter	11.00
Senter Bros., hot-topping sidewalk	40.00
Smith's Fire Equipment Service, fire extinguisher refills	7.25
Strout Heating Company, radiator repairs	12.50
H. E. Tuck & Son, repairs to shades	6.90
	\$522.72

FIXED CHARGES**Teachers' Retirement System**

New Hampshire Teachers' Retirement System	\$1,786.18
Federal Insurance Contribution Act	
New Hampshire State Treasurer	\$896.86
New Hampshire State Treasurer, Dept. of Health & Welfare	6.33
	\$903.19

Insurance

Wallace Card, Joseph Hills Agency	\$70.99
Leo Storey, William K. Davis Agency	286.84
	\$357.83

Rental of Lands & Buildings

Newton Junction Firemen's Association, rental	\$500.00
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SCHOOL LUNCH & SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

Federal Monies

Newton School Lunch Program	\$1,307.67
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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Other Expenses

Otis Rowell, heating Town Hall for P.T.A.	\$7.00
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CAPITAL OUTLAY

Buildings

Gordon Cheney, Postmaster, mailing charges	\$25.00
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Equipment

William A. Baker, antenna installation	\$24.90
Beckley-Cardy Company, science supplies	20.60
Cascade School Supplies, Inc., desks & chairs	236.35
D. J. Casey Paper Co., Inc., files & cabinets	174.24
The Eastern Company, TV set & stand	169.97
Science Materials Center, microscope	55.94
Andrew Wilson Company, bookcase shelving	39.60

\$721.60

Less amount donated by P.T.A. to cover half
the cost of TV set

97.44

\$624.16

DEBT SERVICE FROM CURRENT MONIES

Principal of Debt

First National Bank of Boston	\$3,000.00
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Interest on Debt

First National Bank of Boston	\$637.50
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OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS**Tuition (In-State)**

Rockingham Association for Retarded Children	\$558.00
Sanborn Seminary	34,686.97
	\$35,244.97

District Share of Supervisory Union Expenses

Atkinson School District, rental, Special Education Class	\$310.75
Supervisory Union No. 55	6,989.79
	\$7,300.54

Tax for State-Wide Supervision

New Hampshire State Treasurer	\$542.00
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Tuition (Out-of-State)

Town of Amesbury	\$2,244.30
City of Haverhill, Massachusetts	3,907.88
Treasurer, Pentucket Regional School District	1,020.00
Washington, D. C., Treasurer	212.88
	\$7,385.06
GRAND TOTAL	\$115,553.74

BUDGET WORK SHEET

This is a presentation of the budget work sheet upon which your school board has been operating during 1963-1964 and their estimated expenses for the year 1964-65. It must be taken into consideration that monies appropriated in the month of March, to be used the following year, do not necessarily correspond in individual items, because of the impossibility of projecting the rising price indexes twelve months hence.

THE NEWTON SCHOOL BOARD

	Expended 1962-1963	Budgeted 1963-1964	Estimated 1963-1964	Proposed 1964-1965
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ADMINISTRATION

Salaries	\$ 420.00	\$ 420.00	\$ 420.00	\$ 420.00
Contracted Services	100.00	100.00	100.00	115.00
Other Expenses	130.83	133.00	163.00	78.00

INSTRUCTION

Salary — Principal	0	0	2,850.00	6,000.00
Salaries — Teachers	38,044.51	48,300.00	48,000.00	56,900.00
Substitute Teachers	490.00	890.00	700.00	700.00
Home Instruction	37.50	400.00	400.00	200.00
Clerical Assistants	0	450.00	450.00	1,128.75
Textbooks	951.88	1,200.00	1,256.59	1,500.00
Library, Audio-Visual	593.67	560.00	560.00	730.00
Teaching Supplies	1,327.11	1,660.00	1,660.00	1,960.00
Contracted Services	124.00	129.00	132.00	140.00
Other Expenses	200.99	230.00	246.00	261.00

ATTENDANCE				
Salaries	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
HEALTH SERVICES				
Other Expenses	181.65	185.00	185.00	210.00
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION				
Contracted Services	6,626.50	12,114.00	8,577.50	6,800.00
Other Expenses	0	100.00	100.00	100.00
OPERATION OF PLANT				
Salaries	2,581.71	3,446.80	3,083.20	3,558.33
Supplies	739.16	635.00	635.00	700.00
Contracted Services	30.00	50.00	90.00	100.00
Heat for Buildings	1,559.61	1,665.00	1,665.00	2,100.00
Utilities	886.14	1,403.50	1,350.50	1,720.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT				
Salaries	234.06	265.60	300.00	711.67
Replacement of Equipment	100.60	50.00	235.00	50.00
Contracted Services	522.72	600.00	600.00	845.00
Repairs to Buildings	0	0	0	50.00
Other Expenses	0	0	0	0
FIXED CHARGES				
Teachers' Retirement	1,786.18	2,722.28	2,573.01	3,182.74
Social Security	903.19	1,301.41	1,258.17	1,579.02
Insurance	357.83	896.00	1,068.49	905.00
Rent of Buildings	500.00	0	0	0
SCHOOL MILK PROGRAM				
Transfer Federal Funds	1,307.67	1,000.00	1,200.00	1,200.00

STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES

Salaries	0	0	0	100.00
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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Other Expenses	7.00	0	0	0
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CAPITAL OUTLAY

Site	0	0	0	0
Buildings	25.00	1,140.00	1,140.00	0
Equipment	624.16	934.10	1,244.10	1,112.00

DEBT SERVICE

Principal	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	13,000.00
Interest	637.50	3,187.50	3,012.50	4,537.50

OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS

Tuition (in-state)	35,405.97	47,000.00	40,400.00	47,250.00
District's Share — Union Expenses	7,300.54	8,842.17	9,215.12	10,363.46
Tax for State Supervision	542.00	580.00	580.00	0
Tuition (out-of-state)	7,224.06	8,000.00	8,500.00	10,500.00

TOTALS	\$115,553.74	\$153,640.36	\$147,000.98	\$180,857.47
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RECEIPTS SECTION

Balance, July 1	\$ 2,912.04	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,848.61	\$ 7,500.00
REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES				
Appropriation	92,304.98	139,883.36	123,170.34	123,877.47
Other Revenue	26.00	0	0	0
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES				
Foundation Aid	17,434.27	9,307.00	25,571.41	35,000.00
Building Aid	900.00	900.00	900.00	3,900.00
Aid — Instruction of Retarded Children	350.96	300.00	(300.00)	300.00
Other — Sweepstakes	0	0	(781.20)	8,000.00
REVENUE FROM FEDERAL SOURCES				
N.D.E.A.	97.43	50.00	50.00	80.00
Milk Reimbursement	1,307.67	1,000.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Public Law 874	2,069.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
TOTALS	<u>\$117,402.35</u>	<u>\$153,640.36</u>	<u>\$154,821.56</u>	<u>\$180,857.47</u>

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 55 BOARD

New Hampshire School Districts are grouped by state statutes into some 47 Supervisory Unions, ten of which are single or "city" unions. As the name implies, these unions enable the individual Districts to enjoy as a group, supervisory advantages and functions, which they would find difficult or impossible to enjoy as individual Districts.

Our Union, No. 55, is comprised of the towns of Salem, Plaistow, Hampstead, Atkinson and Newton, with present estimated populations of 16000, 3200, 1600, 1500, and 1600 respectively. Union No. 55 has an annual growth rate of approximately 15 per cent and is in the fastest growing area of the state. It is seventh from the top of the 47 unions in the number of teachers employed. (Five cities and one Union have more teachers.) It is fifth out of 47 in the number of pupils enrolled. (Four cities in the state enroll more students than we do.) It is eighth out of 47, in the size of the tax base. (Seven cities have greater real estate valuation than does Union No. 55.)

During the past three years, the growth has been phenomenal in all five towns. The enrollment during this time in Salem has increased over 800 students in grades 1-12, in Plaistow over 60 in grades 1-8, in Hampstead over 80 in grades 1-8, in Atkinson over 80 in grades 1-8 and in Newton over 40 in grades 1-8. The PHAN towns (Plaistow, Hampstead, Atkinson and Newton), all of whom tuition their high school students outside their districts, now have 64, 23, 19 and 38 new high school students respectively, for a total 3-year increase of 144 new students. "In-district" students in the Union have increased 36 per cent, and "out-of-district" tuition students have increased 42 per cent, during the three year period from September 1960 to September 1963.

Our Supervisory Union No. 55 Board is comprised of the three School Board Members from each of the member districts. The normal business which comes before this Board consists of establishing and approving the administrative and salary budgets for the Union office and staff. This business is done in the fall of each year, before the individual district budgets are established. The PHAN towns share several educational services, such as Nurse-teacher, Special Education Class, and Music Supervision. These services, and related teaching aids and equipment are also budgeted by the PHAN portion of the Union Board. Each line item in these budgets is debated, and either approved or disapproved by a vote of the Union Board. In budget matters, each Union Board member has one vote. The school board members from your town are your representatives in all Supervisory Union Board business.

Each spring, usually in April, the Union Board holds another regular meeting. At this meeting Union Administrative personnel are elected for the following fiscal year, and their salaries are established.

At the regular board meeting in April 1963, it had become evident to most Board members that something must be done to relieve administrative congestion in the office. As a result, a meeting was held in October of the Board Chairmen from each of the individual districts, the Supervisory Union Board Chairman and the heads of the administrative staff. The key subjects discussed at the meeting by the Chairmen were:

1. Change in Administrative Staff functions.
2. Feasibility of machine accounting, for at least vendor and payroll accounting.
3. Inadequacy of present office housing.

As a result of this meeting, a job analysis was initiated of all administrative functions, present and proposed.

On November 6th, and again on November 12th, the full Union Board met to budget for the 64-65 school year.

Before the meeting temporarily adjourned on the 12th, the Union Board directed the Chairman to appoint a study committee of three Board members to investigate feasibility of:

1. Realignment of administrative staff functions.
2. Acquisition of some basic machine accounting equipment.

Mr. Perri, of Atkinson, Mr. Schmidlin of Salem and Mr. Swasey of Newton were appointed to serve on the study committee. The Board directed that they report back to the full Board in January 1964.

At the November 12th meeting, the Board authorized acquisition of larger administrative quarters. As a result some 2200 sq. ft. of new space will be available for occupancy on July 1st, 1964. This doubles the office space, with a rental increase from \$150 per month to \$265 per month.

On November 25th, the PHAN portion of the Union Board met for a third budget session, involving those items relating to the four PHAN districts.

In January, the study committee reported. Their report was excellent, and well presented by their chairman, Mr. Perri. Their unanimous recommendations were as follows:

1. Installation of a basic IBM system, to alleviate the severe load in the areas of statistics and financial accounting.
2. Establishment of a position of Assistant Superintendent of Operations, and to budget \$8500 for this position. A request to the State Board of Education for approval, should establish state support, to the extent of \$2500 of the \$8500, leaving a net cost to the Union of \$6000.
3. Request a change in title of Teacher Consultant to that of Assistant Superintendent of Instruction.
4. Appoint a committee of the five individual district chairmen, to meet on call of the Superintendent to

interview and select not more than three candidates for the position of Assistant Superintendent of Operations. The candidates selected by the screening committee shall be interviewed and one of them elected, by the full Board, at a date to be set later.

5. Appoint a committee to report recommendations at the regular April meeting on a proposed salary schedule, sick-leave allowances, absence provisions, and any other fringe benefits for Supervisory Union Administrative and office personnel.

These recommendations were adopted by the Union Board except the title change of Teacher Consultant to Assistant Superintendent of Instruction was tabled. The Board stressed that the Teacher Consultant position shall hold the same level of responsibility as that of the new position of Assistant Superintendent of Operations, and further, that it is their intent that this recommendation should be taken from the table at a future meeting upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools. The Union Board Chairman was instructed to appoint a salary study committee. The appointments made by the chairman were: John Wood of Plaistow, Chairman, William Letoile of Hampstead and Mrs. Lucile deBesche of Atkinson.

It is hoped that through the reading of this report, each citizen of all Districts in Union No. 55 will obtain a better understanding of the New Hampshire Schools' supervisory structure, and in particular, the underlying reasons which have necessitated the budgeting action taken during the 20 to 30 hours of effort expended by your Union No. 55 Board. The gains we are striving for, by our actions, can only result in greater efficiency, more service, a better informed public, and the resulting better education for all of our children.

DAVID J. ROCKWELL, Chairman

February 17, 1964

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 55 BOARD

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Administrative Staff

Superintendent of Schools	Wendell V. Davis
Teacher Consultant	Seth S. O'Shea
Executive Assistant	Mrs. Blanche Turner
Financial Secretary	Mrs. Sylvia Daggett
Secretary	Mrs. Grace Hurteau
Secretary	Mrs. Joan Dill
Receptionist	Mrs. Pauline Perkins

Statistical Comparisons

	Sept. 1960	Sept. 1963
All students — Grades 1-12	3407	4668
Elementary Classrooms — Grades 1-8	87	130
Teachers and Special Services	126	175
All Employees	167	242
Gross Budgets (all towns)	\$1,257,844	\$2,092,037
Administrative Staff	5	7

Enrollment Increases

	1960			1963			Increase		
	1-8	9-12	1-12	1-8	9-12	1-12	1-8	9-12	1-12
Salem	1572	436	2008	2066	775	2841	494	339	833
Plaistow	476	134	610	540	198	738	64	64	128
Hampstead	172	68	240	261	91	352	89	23	112
Atkinson	187	75	262	276	94	370	89	19	108
Newton	222	65	287	264	103	367	42	38	80
Totals	2629	778	3407	3407	1261	4668	778	483	1261

UNION APPORTIONMENTS AND BUDGETS

The apportionment of Supervisory Union expenses is based one-half on the equalized valuation of each district and one-half on the average membership of the previous year.

Apportionment of 4-Town Expenses

Town	1960	1963
Plaistow	43.9%	40.6%
Hampstead	19.5%	21.2%
Atkinson	17.1%	20.6%
Newton	19.5%	17.6%
	100.0	100.0

Apportionment of 5-Town Expenses

Town	1960	1963
Salem	61.8%	63.0%
Plaistow	16.7%	15.0%
Hampstead	7.6%	7.9%
Atkinson	6.6%	7.6%
Newton	7.3%	6.5%
	100.0	100.0

	1960	1963
Five Town Budget	\$33,166.25	\$48,646.00
Four Town Budget	15,242.00	23,914.00
State Share	5,000.00	5,000.00
Total	\$53,408.25	\$77,560.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Newton:

I am presenting herewith my Eighth Annual Report as Superintendent of Schools in Newton. A report from the Principal will discuss more in detail the activities of the schools. Statistical reports are listed separately.

Personnel

Peter Kageleiry, a graduate of Keene Teachers College, is the new Supervising Principal of the Newton Schools. Mr. Kageleiry taught in Dover, N. H. and Salem, N. H. He was head teacher of the Mary Foss School in Salem at the time of his election.

Six teachers joined the Newton School system this current year. They were: Gerald Fink, grades 7 and 8, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire with teaching experience in Milford, N. H.; Mrs. Mildred Kern, grade 6, a graduate of Keene Teachers College with teaching experience in Warren, N. H. and school districts in Indiana and Illinois; Elaine Babish, grade 5, a graduate of Plymouth Teachers College; Judith Poole, grade 3, a graduate of Lowell Teachers College; Mary Stratton, grade 2, a graduate of Keene Teachers College; Mrs. Dorothy Sainsbury, grade 1, three years of teaching experience in Tennessee.

All teachers have continued membership in all local, state and national professional organizations.

The salary question continues to be a problem. Teachers' salaries make up the largest part of the budget. This is true, however, in any school district budget. It is also true that the teachers play the most important role in the education of your children. To hire and maintain qualified teachers you must pay the prevailing wage and should adopt a schedule. If you do not, the education of your children will not be up to standard for you will get the poorer teachers applying in this area and not hold the better ones.

We have used a salary guide comparable to the other towns in PHAN which has helped the beginning teachers. However, our more experienced teachers have not been placed on their proper position. Fortunately six out of ten teachers are on schedule, one is only \$100. off schedule. Recommendations are being made to handle the increases for the experienced teachers in some instances on a graduate basis.

If the beginning salary is raised the amount of the raise should be reflected in each teacher's salary.

Curriculum

The Principal's report lists some of the work being done in this area. I might add that we have initiated a program to help pupils with speech problems. The speech therapy was supported this year through public donations. It is recommended that the School District absorb this expense.

More Newton pupils have been attending the Special Education Class in Atkinson. Next year the class will be held in Plaistow. One child is attending the Trainable Class in Exeter. It is commendable that the School District accepts this responsibility and realizes that all children should have an opportunity to learn.

The Modern Math program will be expanded to grade 5 next year. We already have the program in grades 1-4.

Our class sizes are becoming more normal. When we can maintain classes in the 25-30 category then we can expect much better results. For the first time we have two first and two second grades. It will be interesting to note next year the achievement results of these two grades.

We still do not provide a full curriculum for the seventh and eighth graders in the area of home economics and industrial arts. Perhaps this will be corrected when a probable cooperative is authorized.

The School District continues to take advantage of funds provided by the Federal Government under the Na-

tional Defense Education Act for special projects in mathematics and science.

Housing

We have built an addition to the Memorial School. All ten classrooms are being used. Next year we will need at least one additional room and we will probably use the Village School for this purpose and may have one vacant classroom which will be used the following year. It is hoped that the Rowe's Corner School will not be used again.

For 1966-67 additional rooms will be needed for elementary housing. If our present grade 3 becomes too large we may need additional space sooner than this.

As is now well known, a Planning Committee of 24 individuals from 8 towns including 3 members from Newton have been working for several months on a cooperative school study. They have made an exhaustive study of various plans to solve the secondary school problem.

My only comment is that I feel you should join a cooperative. Haverhill will eventually cut off tuition pupils and Sanborn will not be able to take all pupils who are eligible. You must protect the education of your secondary students. Your final decision should reflect what is best for Newton.

Credit should be given to our custodians for the work that they do to keep our buildings well maintained.

Support Quality Education

What is quality education?

When we speak of quality education we mean **qualified teachers** in uncrowded classrooms, with the books, supplies and equipment they need to do a good job.

We mean **supervisory and special help** for teachers in these days of changing and expanding knowledge, so that they will continue to grow in their teaching skills and keep up-to-date in their knowledge of subject matter.

We mean a **curriculum** which is constantly being improved.

We mean **guidance services** that help parents and children to find what is suited to the child's needs and abilities, so that he may progress toward a useful, satisfying life.

We mean **administrators** who are competent and up-to-date in their knowledge and who are leaders.

We mean **maintenance** which assures cleanliness and safety which protects your investment.

We mean **informed citizens** who understand the importance of good education to their children, their community and their country.

Warning to Parents

Do you know that school dropouts have twice as high a rate of unemployment as high school graduates?

Do you know that early marriage seems to be related to the high dropout rate for women?

Do you know that frequent absences and truancies lead to early dropouts?

Encourage your children to stay in high school and keep regular attendance.

Appreciations

I wish to express my appreciation to the School Board, Principal, teachers and pupils for their help during the year.

I also thank the Parent-Teachers Association and all civic organizations, parents and friends of the children for their support and interest in the activities of the pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

WENDELL V. DAVIS,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

I herewith submit my annual report to the Superintendent of Schools, School Board and the Town of Newton:

The opening of school was postponed to September 9th due to construction at the Memorial School. On that day the following number of students enrolled.

Grade 1 — 37	Grade 5 — 26
Grade 2 — 50	Grade 6 — 30
Grade 3 — 36	Grade 7 — 23
Grade 4 — 33	Grade 8 — 29

This total of 264 represents an increase of 19 students in the school population over the previous year's total of 245. The additional classroom space provided by the two platoon system, now in effect at the Memorial School, has made it possible to lessen the size of classes thus enabling us to meet more closely the needs of the children. Undoubtedly conditions will improve considerably when all classes are housed under one roof, some time in January.

The Newton Parent-Teachers Association regularly meets on the first Thursday of each month. Sponsoring of a scholarship program and the contribution of a substantial sum of money to the Speech Therapy Program in addition to the annual class gift of fifty dollars are some of the projects undertaken this year. Our delegates to the State Convention were pleasantly surprised when they were awarded a pewter "Paul Revere" bowl in recognition of the tripling of our P.T.A. membership. Next year, in the event that our membership increases, and is the highest percentage-wise, the bowl remains permanently in Newton. The P.T.A. also deserves much commendation for its support of all school programs.

Robert Morse, school spelling champion, was our entrant in the 1963 State Championship Spelling Bee held at

Exeter, for Rockingham County. More than thirty contestants who had been selected "best spellers" at their respective schools were on hand to compete for the state title.

Throughout the year planned educational field trips were taken to the State Legislature, Home of the N. H. Historical Society, Peabody Museum, Benson's Animal Farm and other places to serve as culminating activities in correlation with our various areas of study.

Pupil participation in the purchasing of Savings Stamps is splendid. Not only is the program serving its primary purpose of selling stamps to as many pupils as possible, but it is also helping to promote the concept of thrift and systematic saving.

The testing program carried on in our schools is as follows:

1. Reading Readiness Test — Grade 1
2. Otis Mental Ability Tests — Grades 2, 4, 6
3. Stanford Achievement Tests — Grades 3, 8
4. Individualized testing for problem cases
5. Basic Reading Tests

These tests provide teachers with background material for use in connection with improvement of instruction, pupil guidance and the evaluation of progress.

Newton shared in the national observance of American Education Week by having "Open House" on Wednesday, November 13th. Many parents availed themselves of this opportunity to observe classes in operation, to become better acquainted with the physical structure of our buildings and to meet the teachers.

Grades 6, 7 and 8 of the Memorial School are departmentalized because teachers are assigned to teach in the area in which they have specialized. Evaluation of this program indicates that it has been successful in many ways. It has also been well received by the students.

The evaluation program, conducted by the teachers over a period of two years, was completed in June. As a

result of the findings changes were made in the science program and a revision made in our report cards which makes it possible for better understanding between the school and parents. A study of our mathematics and reading program is now in effect. If necessary, changes or additions will soon be forthcoming in those areas also.

To supplement our reading program in the area of Phonics, the Phono-Visual system has been added at the first and second grade levels. The phonics system advocated by modern educators and the whole-word meaning method which has been used for the past many years. The combined program can be adapted to the abilities and needs of both fast and slow learners.

Mr. Evan Williams, vocal music supervisor, has presented a fine program of music at the various grade levels. His main emphasis this year has been on the development of musical skill and appreciation. It is the goal of the music program to help each child develop his ability so as to be able to enjoy and understand good music by actively participating in it. His 6, 7, 8 Chorus presented a fine Christmas Program for the December meeting of the P.T.A. During the spring the chorus shared in a combined Spring Festival of Music at Woodbury High School in Salem.

The Health Program under the direction of Mrs. Gwendolyn A. Banks, R.N., continues to provide vision and hearing tests, color perception in Grade 5 and the tuberculosis Patch tests in Grades 5, 8 were also administered. Annual health examinations were given by Dr. Harris of Plaistow with the capable assistance of Mrs. Banks in Grades 1, 4 and 8. Upon the requests of teachers she planned and presented many audio-visual programs and classroom discussions on safety, hygiene, nutrition, vision, hearing and posture. The addition of a part-time school nurse, Mrs. Wanda Scholl, R.N., has proven to be very helpful. Visiting days for our nurses in Newton are Tuesdays and Thursdays in the forenoon.

Graduation Exercises for the class of 1963 were held in the Town Hall in June. The theme of the program,

"American Culture," was appropriately developed with essays and songs. The Good Citizenship Medal presented by the Sons of the American Revolution was awarded to Marilyn Ingalls. Of the twenty-nine graduates three are enrolled at Amesbury High, one at Brewster Academy, one at Haverhill Trade, one at Pentucket Regional and twenty-three at Sanborn Seminary. Class Day, financed in part by the Newton P.T.A., was held at Canobie Lake followed by a dinner in Amesbury.

I wish to thank the Superintendent, Teacher Consultant, Teachers, School Board, Parent-Teachers Association and the Civic Organizations for their cooperation in making our work successful.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION M. KALASHIAN

Principal

REPORT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION CLASS

To the Superintendent of Schools and the School Boards of Plaistow, Hampstead, Atkinson and Newton:

I hereby submit my fourth annual report as teacher of the PHAN Special Class.

The Special Class is located for the second year in Atkinson Academy where we have a light, well ventilated room conducive to good physical health.

At present there are 13 pupils in the class whose September ages ranged from 7 to 15. There are 6 girls and 7 boys in the class with 2 girls and 3 boys in the 7 to 11 age group and 4 girls and 4 boys in the 12 to 15 age range. We have 2 pupils from Plaistow, 1 from Hampstead, 5 from Atkinson, and 5 from Newton. This year the pupils from Plaistow, Hampstead and Newton are transported directly from their homes to the Academy and returned to their homes, which is a more satisfactory arrangement than being left at the various schools.

This year's class presents a vast difference in mental development and ability as well as age, making it necessary to have 6 reading groups and 5 arithmetic groups so less time can be devoted to social studies and science than previous years. In these areas our emphasis is on preparation for daily living.

Handwriting lessons are held almost every day to develop this necessary communication skill and to help those with poor motor control.

We do not have an opportunity to take advantage of educational television programs this year because of conflict in programs with the available television set. We hope to have a set of our own next year to again use this medium of modern education which is so beneficial to the retarded,

who often grasp more by seeing and hearing at the same time.

Our health lessons of necessity emphasize personal hygiene and the care of our bodies.

Mr. Williams, our music supervisor, spends one-half hour with us every other week and two of our older girls are members of the seventh and eighth grade chorus.

Each day we spend time on our arts and crafts program, developing skills which may contribute to the ability to earn a living. New craft projects this year have been the use of plaster of Paris in the making of plaques which are painted and presented as gifts to the parents. Oval and round baskets were made of natural reed. We made styrofoam of our own and molded star, bell and ball shapes which were decorated with glitter and sequins for our Christmas tree and later to adorn the trees at home.

It is the task of the special class teacher to build confidence in the pupils — some of whom have spent several years in regular classes and known nothing but failure. Work has to be simple enough at first to give confidence in ability and then work to develop the individual as far as possible at his own pace. The special class is not a remedial class; it is not designed to force growth in academic skills, but to enable the retarded child to get enough out of the usual academic skills to lead a happy and effective life. A child has to learn his own limitations and assets in order to avoid continual frustration. He needs the opportunity to grow in emotional areas besides developing academic and motor skills and vocational training.

The special class teacher, with the help of test results, diagnoses the need of each child and deals with the individual accordingly.

Special class teachers in New Hampshire are required to complete a minimum of 12 units of study beyond a Bachelor's Degree dealing specifically with the mentally retarded and the work of the special class teacher. The courses I took this summer gave me an opportunity to meet

other special class teachers and discuss our mutual problems. Our special class, in spite of the vast age range, compares favorably with the others in the state.

I hope to develop a more extensive manual training and home economics program, especially for the older pupils, when facilities are available.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the entire staff of Atkinson Academy for their splendid cooperation and understanding these two years in Atkinson and many thanks to the Union staff for their continued guidance and support.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH W. WEBSTER,

Special Class Teacher

ENROLLMENTS**Elementary Grades**

The following tabulation shows the enrollment in the Newton Schools with grade assignments as of January 6, 1964:

Rowe's Corner School

Teacher	Grade	Number	Total
Alice Knowles	1	19	
Dorothy Sainsbury	1	18	37

Village School

Mary Stratton	2	25	
Norma Williams	2	25	50

Memorial School

Judith Poole	3	36	} Morning Session
Mary Benedetti	4	33	
Elaine Babish	5	26	
Mildred Kern	6	30	} Afternoon Session
Gerald Fink	7	23	
Marion Kalashian	8	29	
			177
Total			264

High Schools

The following tabulation shows the number of high school pupils, by grades, attending various schools, and the respective tuition rates at each school:

Grades	Amesbury High	Haverhill Trade	Haverhill High	Pentucket Regional	Sanborn Seminary
9	5	1	0	1	25
10	0	3	1	0	19
11	2	1	0	1	24
12	0	0	3	1	19
Totals	7	5	4	3	87
Rates	\$378	\$500	\$500	\$450	\$475

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL CENSUS FIGURES
FOR PAST SIX YEARS

Age Groups	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963
Less than 1 year	24	40	29	30	30	42
1	33	29	38	35	38	35
2	30	38	32	48	40	36
3	34	33	35	31	52	41
4	32	37	36	43	37	49
5	20	40	30	32	36	38
6	30	21	37	31	39	40
7	24	32	21	33	34	36
8	27	24	32	23	33	35
9	30	23	22	32	23	37
10	28	30	24	18	34	24
11	42	27	27	27	25	33
12	20	44	25	23	27	30
13	22	19	39	26	29	23
14	22	22	20	36	27	33
15	20	20	17	20	39	26
16	7	22	20	19	20	38
17	28	7	20	21	18	21
18	7	24	7	14	17	18
TOTALS	480	532	511	542	598	635
Changes		+52	-21	+31	+56	+37
Percent of Increase		10.8%		6.0%	10.3%	6.1%

VITAL STATISTICS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1963

Births

Jan. 1 Lanie Butland, son of Janet (Gamble) and Leonard Butland.

Jan. 3 Dale Warren Winter, son of Janet A. (Fellows) and David W. Winter.

Jan. 3 Dean Wayne Winter, son of Janet A. (Fellows) and David W. Winter.

Jan. 10 Kathleen Jill Cronin, daughter of Anna E. (Pohlman) and John F. Cronin.

Jan. 19 Maureen Joyce Nyberg, daughter of Charlotte (Roberts) and Forrest Nyberg.

Jan. 19 Ruth Ann Bowen, daughter of Jeannette E. (Standing) and Howard L. Bowen.

Jan. 26 John Russell Bryant, son of Barbara A. (Milot) and Russell D. Bryant.

Jan. 31 Paula Jeanne Titus, daughter of Jeanne (Lagasse) and Raymond L. Titus.

Feb. 25 Wendi Jeanne Gariepy, daughter of Jeanne E. (Comeau) and Robert D. Gariepy.

Mar. 7 Rosemarie Amador, daughter of Jean M. (Pottie) and Daniel Amador.

Apr. 1 Heather Dolores MacLeod, daughter of Myrtle M. (MacInnis) and Donald E. MacLeod.

Apr. 27 Wayne Deshon Chamberlain, Jr., son of Diane M. (Gallant) and Wayne D. Chamberlain, Sr.

May 6 Penny Jean Bisson, daughter of Sandra C. (Goad) and David G. Bisson.

May 8 Susan Jeannette Marden, daughter of Nancy J. (Standing) and John D. Marden.

May 11 Paula Louise Callahan, daughter of Beth M. (Landford) and Patrick R. Callahan.

May 15 Nancy Evangelia Morse, daughter of Pauline E. (Bates) and Robert C. Morse.

May 16 John Kevin Klose, son of Janet M. (Huard) and John F. Klose.

May 24 Michale A. Nicol, daughter of Irene L. (Pepin) and Raymond J. Nicol.

May 31 Sherry Lee Goad, daughter of Marjorie B. (Fry) and Bernard S. Goad.

June 9 Donna Marie Mazur, daughter of Patricia A. (Lane) and Adam J. Mazur.

June 21 Alan Herbert Wood, son of Eunice M. (Wilcox) and Herbert N. Wood.

June 21 Melinda Jane Dennis, daughter of Jeannette L. (Kelly) and Arthur R. Dennis.

June 22 Steven James Busch, son of Ruth A. (Finniss) and Richard J. Busch.

July 2 Paul Walter Hatch, son of Sheila R. (Ryan) and Edward E. Hatch.

July 12 Kim Michelle Hampson, daughter of Barbara J. (Fournier) and James E. Hampson.

July 28 Gerald Scott Bowley, son of Judith E. (Stone) and Dewey A. Bowley.

Aug. 20 Barbara Susan Hanson, daughter of Margery (Richards) and John A. Hanson.

Aug. 20 Edwina Jean Hanson, daughter of Margery (Richards) and John A. Hanson.

Aug. 23 David Charles McGuigan, son of Nancy (Quinn) and Richard E. McGuigan.

Sept. 5 Brian Arthur White, son of Kathleen M. (Comeau) and Robert C. White.

Sept. 11 Stacey Janine Elliott, daughter of Sandra J. (McSorley) and Samuel V. Elliott.

Sept. 13 Infant Boy Bushong, son of Patricia C. (Cleveland) and Richard Bushong.

Sept. 13 Donald Lewis Storey, son of Lois M. (Cook) and Vernon W. Storey.

Sept. 19 Scott Edward Emerson, son of Lorraine A. (Lanseigne) and Frederick G. Emerson, 3rd.

Sept. 19 Leslie Anne Winter, daughter of Mary-Jane O. (Blanchette) and Eugene A. Winter.

Oct. 7 Robert Charles Shea, son of Georgia M. (Chagavis) and Robert C. Shea.

Oct. 19 Steven Frederick Panek, son of Doris C. (Laliberts) and Francis F. Panek.

Oct. 19 Colleen Cheryl Barnum, daughter of Ruth A. (Mason) and Eugene L. Barnum.

Oct. 22 Lori Jean Trahan, daughter of Judith A. (Stoddard) and Everett A. Trahan.

Oct. 23 Robert Sealey Thomas, son of Barbara A. (Barlow) and William H. Thomas, 2nd.

Oct. 25 Joey Lawson Harriman, son of May J. (Gould) and Charles H. Harriman.

Nov. 1 Craig William Smith, son of Evelyn M. (Ralph) and Kendall C. Smith.

Nov. 8 Rense Joyce Bilodeau, daughter of Joyce E. (Melvin) and Raymond A. Bilodeau.

Nov. 10 Faith A. Cushing, daughter of Mildred J. (Clow) and Richard D. Cushing.

Nov. 29 Arthur Ronan Lynn, son of Janice A. (Ronan) and Albert L. Lynn, Sr.

Dec. 8 Shawn Patrick Gavin, son of Janet A. (Tibbetts) and Donald W. Gavin.

Dec. 11 Tammy Jean Poole, daughter of Margaret E. (Turcotte) and Philip R. Poole.

Dec. 13 Andrew Mitchell Denno, son of Judith E. (Bearce) and Mitchell G. Denno.

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Marriages

Jan. 26 Thomas F. Nicklas, 26, Haverhill, Mass., and Gertrude M. McCarron, 25, Merrimac, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Feb. 9 Alfred L. Perrault, Sr., 50, Newton, N. H., and Bertha M. Boper, 45, Newton, N. H. Married by Rev. J. N. Feaster, Portsmouth, N. H.

Apr. 28 Edward H. Colin, 27, Newton, N. H., and Janet M. Ellison, 26, Newburyport, Mass. Married by Pauline H. Keezer, Plaistow, N. H., Justice of the Peace.

May 11 Louis M. Scates, 26, Haverhill, Mass., and Constance Edgerly, 21, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

May 13 Frederick Gardner, 40, Merrimac, Mass., and

Patricia J. Potter, 23, Merrimac, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

June 1 Stephen T. Knox, 24, Medford, Mass., and Ann E. Rolfe, 22, Beverly, Mass. Married by Wendell J. Irvine, Newton, N. H.

June 8 Robert A. Bemis, 28, Medford, Mass., and Jeanne A. Brooks, 27, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

June 20 Laurence D. Bastarache, 21, Haverhill, Mass., and Gail E. Maloof, 18, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

June 29 Carl L. Lacerte, 33, Haverhill, Mass., and Ruth M. Houser, 27, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Wendell J. Irvine, Newton, N. H.

Aug. 23 Leslie E. Walters, 38, Newton, N. H., and Pauline M. Noyes, 33, Atkinson, N. H. Married by Carrie A. Richardson, Justice of the Peace, Chester, N. H.

Aug. 29 Dennis Reed, 17, Atkinson, N. H., and Carol C. Bocuzzo, 15, Newton, N. H. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Aug. 30 Harrison W. Knight, 27, Haverhill, Mass., and Beverly A. Bradley, 22, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Sept. 28 Edward E. Chouinard, 25, Newton Junction, N. H., and Patricia F. Bramley, 22, Plaistow, N. H. Married by Rt. Rev. Thomas S. Hansbury, Manchester, N. H.

Oct. 5 Leon R. Garrett, 31, Amesbury, Mass., and Barbara J. Ellison, 24, Amesbury, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Nov. 1 Glenn O. Horne, 23, Newton, N. H., and Linda R. Purington, 19, Epping, N. H. Married by Fr. Herbert Skelly, South Kingston, N. H.

Nov. 18 William R. Griffin, 43, North Kingston, R. I., and Elinor V. Edgerly, 50, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Nov. 23 Joseph A. Stankus, 24, Haverhill, Mass., and Marilyn F. Allen, 28, Haverhill, Mass. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Nov. 29 Kenneth R. Arsenault, 21, Haverhill, Mass.,

and Marilyn A. Stultz, 18, Newton, N. H. Married by Pearl R. Willis, Justice of the Peace.

Dec. 14 Fred K. Church, 54, Haverhill, Mass., and Emily I. Ward, 37, Newton, N. H. Married by Wendell J. Irvine, Newton, N. H.

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Deaths

Jan. 20 Maureen Joyce Nyberg, age 1 day. Parents: Charlotte (Roberts) and Forrest W. Nyberg.

Feb. 10 Mary Gervais, age 86. Parents: Helen (Moneghan) and Michael Lyons.

Feb. 14 *Bessie S. Walker, age 82.

Feb. 18 *Florence Leonard, age 74.

Mar. 10 Henry Tammik, age 72. Parents: Eva and Laas Tammik.

Mar. 18 *Lenora Terrill, age 75. Parents: Avis (McDonald) and Charles Potter.

Apr. 22 Bernice N. Judson, age 77. Parents: Maud (Lowry) and L. Dennis Bartlett.

May 5 Charles Chrigstrom, age 69. Parents: Agnes (Peterkin) and Joseph Chrigstrom.

July 25 *Melicent Stuart, age 94.

Aug. 22 Hans G. Seel, Jr., age 71. Parents: Anna (Schon) and Hans Seel, Sr.

Sept. 7 Margaret Evelyn Bisson, age 47. Parents: Mattie (White) and Calvin Gildart.

Sept. 12 Infant Boy Bushong, age 5 hrs. 20 min. Parents: Patricia (Cleveland) and Richard Bushong.

Oct. 18 Thomas Everett Currier, age 91. Parents: Augustus (Roope) and Thomas Andrew Currier.

Oct. 22 Albert King Johnson, age 87. Parents: Harriett (Miller) and Edgar J. Johnson.

Oct. 28 Herbert R. Webster, age 72. Parents: Alice (Heath) and Albert Webster.

Nov. 8 William Claflin Beale, age 52. Parents: Maude (Butterfield) and Roy C. Beale.

Nov. 21 Carl F. Shaw, age 80. Parents: Laura (Stickney) and Marvin W. Shaw.

Nov. 29 *Emma N. Kimball, age 84.

Dec. 9 Charlotte G. Nyberg, age 37. Parents: Rose (Ortel) and Joseph Roberts.

Dec. 15 *Mabel (Holt) Lawless, age 69.

Dec. 16 Charles C. Courser, age 79. Parents: Elizabeth (Prescott) and James Courser.

Dec. 21 Deane Walton Putnam, age 79. Parents: Medora (McIntyre) and Elmore Putnam.

*Brought here for burial.

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